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ABSTRACT

Written for students and their parents, this guide focuses on health careers for American Indians and Alaska Natives while providing general information about financial support for college education. Material is presented in nine chapters that cover background information on health careers, information and scholarships for medical schools and related health professions, Master of Public Health (MPH) Program for American Indians and Alaska Natives, Bureau of Indian Affairs Higher Education Grant Program, Title IV grants from the United States Department of Education, tribal scholarships and loans, financial aid from schools, nationwide foundation and organizational support, and alternatives to scholarships. Numerous directories and resource lists are provided including 17 scholarships and 10 loans for minority group students pursuing health careers, 30 medical schools with programs for American Indian students, sources of tribal scholarships and loans, and 24 schools of public health in the United States and Canada. The financial aid from schools section gives addresses, contact persons, and types of help available from over 300 colleges and universities with separate Native American studies centers. The appendix includes a sample letter requesting scholarship information, a sample resume, a worksheet for determining college costs, an application checklist, and general words of advice and encouragement. (JHZ)

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The Master of Public Health Degree Program for American Indians and Alaska Natives in the School of Public Health, at the University of California, Berkeley, has been in existence for fifteen years. During that period 184 students enrolled in this program, with 20% of them advocated for and/or supported at eleven other Schools of Public Health around the country. The program has had thousands of inquiries since its inception in 1971 not only about graduate training in public health, but about health careers in other fields. Many of the inquiries have been for financial assistance information, a all the collegiate level. It is obvious that before there can be a large pool of graduate applicants, there must be first the interest of Indian youth in higher education. Secondly, it must be possible for them to achieve it. A major barrier is lack of adequate financial support. To meet the need for information concerning financial aid, this booklet was compiled for students and their parents to assist them in investigating sources of financial support for a college education.

If a student desires a college education, and has adequate preparation in high school, he/she should be able to achieve this goal, for there are many traditional sources of financial aid for Indian students; however, it does take time to research these sources and to locate the applicable sources for the particular needs of the student. New sources also become available. The purpose of this revision of our Financial Aid Booklet has been to update these resources for reliable and current information.

While the emphasis of the MPH Program for American Indians and Alaska Natives is primarily in training for public health careers, the information here on financial assistance is applicable to the securing of financial aid for many other types of training and education. Other information sources can be secured by writing to:
Bureau of Indian Affairs, Higher Education Grant Program,
1951 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 29242.

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The manpower needs of Indian people are great and diverse. It is hoped that this booklet serves as a successful guide for individuals seeking a college education, which in turn will help meet the needs of their people.

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INTRODUCTION

WHAT IS FINANCIAL AID?

Financial aid is a term used to describe sources of money which make it possible for you to pay for your college expenses. It is money provided through federal and state government programs, private sources, and from college/ university resources. Financial aid comes in various forms: a grant, a scholarship, a loan, or a part-time job. All are considered financial aid. Colleges often combine these forms of aid and offer the student a "financial aid package". Some of the steps in the financial aid application process are tedious and confusing particularly when it comes to filling out lengthy application forms, BUT DO NOT GET DISCOURAGED. It is very important to start early and plan ahead. Most Indian students attending college require some form of financial assistance in order to be able to attend the college or university of their choice. There are many people who are interested in helping you. You just need to ask. The financial aid office of the school you plan to attend is the best source of information.

THE PROCESS OF APPLYING FOR FINANCIAL AID:

Step 1: Determination of financial need - Obtain and complete a form. Submit for Financial Need Analysis (FNA). This is often done for colleges and universities by a centralized service. If this is the case, then the form for the analysis states where to send it. This information requires much financial information including income tax information to be submitted for analysis. Once the information is compiled, it is sent back to you for verification and correction, if needed. Do this promptly.

Step 2: Application to various sources of financial aid (separate from financial need analysis). Obtain and complete forms. Apply to all sources:

(a) University
(b) State

(c) Federal - including BIA

(d) Private foundations

Step 3: Award of financial aid by the school or agency - Award(s) may be from several sources.

Step 4: Acceptance of the financial award. Acceptance forms must be completed and returned to the school indicating your acceptance.

These Steps (1-4) occur over a period of months. It is important to start this process early in the Fall prior to the start of your educational program.

BRIEF DESCRIPTIONS OF FINANCIAL AID:

Scholarshps or Grants - Most scholarships do not meet the student's full financial need. Often additional funds from other sources are required to supplement a scholarship. A scholarship may be received both on the basis of financial need and academic achievement. A grant is on the basis of financial need alone.

Loans - You take out the loan in your own name and generally can borrow as much as $5,000 per year. You do not pay interest while in college under a federally supported program and repayment starts shortly after you leave college and extends over a number of years.

College Work/Study - A federal program which provides part-time jobs for students with a demonstrated financial need. Jobs are available on-campus or off-campus with a public or private non-profit agency. The money earned during the school year and the summer can provide from $600 to $1,000 or more per year toward your education expenses.

SOURCES OF FINANCIAL AID:

Federal Financial Aid Programs - There are five major sources of assistance for college undergraduates financed by the federal government. These are the Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), the National Direct Student Loan (NDSL), Federally Insured (or Guaranteed) Student Loan (FISL), the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant (BEOG), and the College work/Study Program.

State Financial Aid Programs - sources of information may be your high school or college counselor, your State Scholarship Commission, or the Financial Aid Officer at a near-by college. Though states provide assistance indirectly through the financial aid programs at state-supported colleges, many often provide other scholarships and loans. Search these out as well by writing to your State Department of Education.

Private Scholarship Programs - These are generally competitive and often require special academic ability. There are some that are based on race, religion or parents' occupations, or limited to a specific state, region or city. There are some earmarked for Indian students and you should not hesitate to apply to as many as possible.

TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID AT THE GRADUATE LEVEL:

The range of financial assistance on the graduate level is very broad. Each type should be weighed in relation to its advantages and disadvantages in light of potential career choices. As an Indian student, you should be aware of and seek out the many types of assistance that are specifically for you as well as the programs available for all students.

The following generalized descriptions are types of financial assistance provided:

Fellowships - Awards ranging in value from a few hundred to perhaps several thousand dollars and requires no service to the institution in return. Fellowships are usually awarded on the basis of merit and are highly competitive.

Teaching Assistantships - Usually provide you with full or partial tuition remission and sometimes a stipend for expenses. Requires the recipient to provide the institution with a specific amount of undergraduate teaching. Teaching assistantships are generally reserved for advanced graduate students who are assigned to discussion sections or fundamental and elementary courses in the discipline. (Some T.A.'s do no more than grade papers, compile bibliographies, or monitor laboratories.)

Research Assistantships - Similar to teaching assistantships in the manner in which financial assistance is provided. The difference is that the student is given basic research assignments in his/her discipline rather than teaching responsibilities in return for his/her grant. May be closely related to course work and in some instance, may be used to meet, in part, requirements of degree programs.

Administrative Internships - Financial assistance similar to teaching and research assistantships with regard to the dispensation of funds, but the student is given an assignment to work on a part-time basis, usually as a special assistant to one of the university's administrative officers such as the president, vice-president, the provost, the dean of the graduate school, an associate dean, or the director of admissions. These assistantships are popular assignments for minority students, who may be asked to undertake special minority-related studies for an administrative officer of an university.

Dormitory and Counseling Assistantships - Frequently assigned to graduate students in psychology, counseling, and social work to provide valuable work experience. Dormitory assistantships sometimes include room and board, in addition to tuition and stipends.

Loans - Available from local banks, governmental agencies, and university sources for graduate study.

Employment - Still another way that some students use to finance their graduate studies. Full-time graduate students, however, are the first to admit that it is extremely difficult to hold a job and meet the expectations of professors as well as an employer. You should, therefore, be extremely cautious before taking on both a job and full-time graduate study simultaneously. There are limitations on the amount of time you can work.

SECTION I

HEALTH CAREERS

THERE ARE A GREAT VARIETY OF HEALTH CAREERS. THEY DIFFER GREATLY IN THE EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS AND SKILLS NECESSARY TO FUNCTION IN THAT CAREER. A PROBLEM THAT MANY STUDENTS HAVE IS HOW TO CHOOSE WHICH PARTICULAR HEALTH CAREER TO PURSUE. YOU SHOULD BEGIN TO THINK ABOUT THIS CHOICE OF WHICH HEALTH CAREER EARLY.

ONE WAY TO HELP YOU DECIDE WHICH HEALTH CAREER TO PURSUE IS TO COMPARE YOUR PARTICULAR INTERESTS, SKILLS, AND STRENGTHS TO THE QUALIFICATION AND SKILLS NEEDED FOR THE HEALTH CAREER YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN. FIRST COMPILE A LIST OF YOUR LIKES AND DISLIKES, SCHOOL SUBJECTS YOU ENJOY AND/OR DO WELL IN, HOBBIES AND SPECIAL INTERESTS.

NEXT COMPILE INFORMATION ABOUT THE HEALTH CAREER(S) YOU ARE INTERESTED IN. THIS INFORMATION SHOULD INCLUDE INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT EACH CAREER DOES, WHERE THEY ARE,AS WELL AS EDUCATIONAL PREPARATION REQUIRED. THE INFORMATION ABOUT SPECIFIC HEALTH CAREERS CAN BE OBTAINED IN SEVERAL WAYS:

1) USE YOUR SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY LIBARIES,
2) TALK WITH YOUR SCHOOL GUIDANCE COUNSELOR,
3) TALK WITH SOMEONE WHO IS IN THE FIELD YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SUCH AS: A DENTIST, NURSE OR DOCTOR. (MOST PEOPLE ARE HAPPY TO TELL YOU ABOUT THEIR WORK, AND IT'S ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES.)
4) ATTEND HEALTH CAREER FAIRS,
5) VOLUNTEER AT A HEALTH AGENCY OR HOSPITAL,
6) WRITE NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS TO FIND OUT ABOUT EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VARIOUS HEALTH CAREERS.

ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES IS A LISTING OF SOME HEALTH CAREERS, AND SOURCES OF INFORMATION FOR CAREERS IN THE HEALTH FIELDS. FURTHER CAREER INFORMATION IN THE HEALTH FIELDS CAN BE OBTAINED BY WRITING THE INDIAN HEALTH OFFICE NEAREST YOU, (LISTED ON FOLLOWING PAGES), OR BY WRITING TO THIS PROGRAM: MPH PROGRAM FOR AMERICAN INDIANS/ALASKA NATIVES, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, CA 94720

REMEMBER, THAT EVEN IF YOU DECIDE THAT THE PARTICULAR HEALTH CAREER IS NOT FOR YOU, YOU CAN ALWAYS CHANGE YOUR MIND. THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT YOU HAVE INFORMATION AND A GENERAL DIRECTION TO FOLLOW.

INTERESTED IN A HEALTH CAREER

Consider a rewarding career in health. There is great need for Indian people trained in the health field. There are many career possibilities in health, some requiring a college degree and others requiring a training program (where no college degree is needed). Some examples of these career possibilities are listed below:

REQUIRING COLLEGE DEGREE

- Clinical Social Worker
- Dentist
- Environmental Engineer
- Health Administrator
- Hospital Administrator
- Registered Nurse
- Nutritionist
- Optometrist
- Physican
- Dietician
- Health educator
- Podiatrist
- Mental Health Worker
- Sanitary Engineer
- Social Worker
- Speech & Hearing Therapist
- Pathologist
- Medical Technologist
- Veterinarian
- .....and MANY others

NO COLLEGE DEGREE NEEDED

- Ambulance Attendent
- Community Health Aid
- Dental Technician
- Environmental Technician
- Health Education Aid
- Health Information Specialist
- Inhalation Therapy Technician
- Laboratory Technician
- Occupational Therapist
- Practical Nurse
- Dental Hygienist
- X-Ray Technician
- Paramedic
- Cytotechnologist
- Histologic Technician
- Aeronautical Technician
- Medical Record Technician
- .....and MANY OTHERS

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE PAGES 11-12.

THE INDIAN HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT ACT - P.L. 94-437

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

In the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, Public Law 94-437, the Congress and President of the United States established a national goal "...to provide the quantity and quality of health services which will permit the health status of Indians to be raised to the highest possible level...".

In order to accomplish this goal, the Act and subsequent amendments of 1980 authorize the Indian Health Service (IHS) to conduct three interrelated scholarship programs to train the health professional personnel necessary to staff IHS health programs and other health programs serving the Indian people. These scholarship programs are the:

1) Health Professions Preparatory Scholarship Program (Section 103);
2) Health Professions Pregraduate Scholarship Program (referred to as Section 103); and
3) Health Professions Scholarship Program (Section 104).

(1) Health Professions Preparatory Scholarship Program Section 103 provides financial assistance for Indian students only to enroll in courses that will prepare them for acceptance into health professions schools, i.e., medicine, nursing, pharmacy, etc. Courses may be either compensatory (required to improve science, mathematics, or other basic skills and knowledge) or preprofessional (required in order to qualify for admission into a health professions program).

(2) Health Professions Pregraduate Scholarship Program Section 103P provides financial support for Indian student only to enroll in courses leading to a baccalaureate degree in specific preprofessional areas such as premedicine or preosteopathy, and predentistry.

An applicant for Section 103P must: 1) be an American Indian or Alaska Native; 2) be a high school graduate or equivalent; 3) have capacity to complete a health professions course of study; and 4) be enrolled, or accepted for enrollment in a baccalaureate degree program for premedicine or its equivalent; 5) have a cum GPA of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale; and 6) intend to serve Indian people upon completion of professional health care education and training as a health care provider in the discipline/speciality for which the applicant is enrolled at the pregraduate level and for which the application is submitted.

(3) Health Professions Scholarship Program

Section 104 provides financial assistance to students enrolled in health professions and allied health professions programs. For the Section 104 program, there are service obligation and payback requirements that the recipient incurs upon acceptance of the scholarship funding.

Priority Health Career Categories for Section 104:

Dentistry--Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited school of dentistry.

Engineering--Applicant must be enrolled in a baccalaureate or master's degree program for civil engineering, environmental engineering, and mechanical engineering only.

Health Records--Applicant must be in an accredited registered records administrator level program leading to a baccalaureate degree only.

Medicine--Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited program for MD or DO degree.

Nursing, ADN, BSN, MS Degrees--Program for which applicant is accepted or enrolled must be approved by the National League for Nursing (NLN). Contact your IHS Area Scholarship Coordinator listed on page 10 to confirm NLN approval of the school and nursing program.

Accounting--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Pharmacy--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level of a school of pharmacy.

Public Health, MPH--Applicant must be enrolled in a school of public health and must have a degree in a health discipline and a minimum of two (2) years of health delivery experience.

Dietitian/Nutritionist--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Sanitarian--Applicant must be enrolled for environmental health, environmental science, and occupational safety and health in the Junior or Senior level.

Medical Technologist, B.S. Degree--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Health Care Administration, MS or MA Degree--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Statistician, BS or MA Degree--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Dental Hygiene--Applicant must be enrolled in the Junior or Senior level.

Externships for Section 104 Recipients (Section 105)

Individuals receiving Section 104 scholarships are entitled to employment by the IHS for up to 120 days per calendar year during any non-academic period in accordance with the provisions of Section 105 of the Act. Salary is based on the number of years of academic training which the individual has had. Details of the externship will be provided in a student handbook sent to each student upon his/her acceptance into the Section 104 program.

The Indian Health Service Scholarship Program publishes a booklet containing general information, application forms and instructions for its scholarship program. This booklet is available from:

Indian Health Scholarship Program
Indian Health Service
5600 Fishers Lane, Room 7-16
Rockville, MD 20857
(301) 443-4367

It is also available from the Scholarship Coordinator at the nearest IHS Area/Program Office. (See page 10 of this booklet.)

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE AREA/PROGRAM OFFICES AND SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIP OFFICES

ABERDEEN

Scholarship Coordinator
Aberdeen Area IHS
115 - 4th Avenue
Aberdeen, SD 57401
FTS: 8-782-7553
Ext 553
COMM: 605/225-0250
Ext 553

ALASKA AREA NATIVE HEALTH SERVICE

Scholarship Coordinator
Alaska Area Native Health Service
P. O. Box 7-741
Anchorage, AK 99510
FTS: 8-907-265-9397
COMM: 907/265-9397

ALBUQUERQUE

Scholarship Coordinator
Albuquerque Area IHS
500 Gold Avenue S.W.
Albuquerque, NM 87102
FTS: 8-474-2133
COMM: 505/766-2133

BEMIDJI

Scholarship Coordinator
IHS: Bemidji Program Ofc.
203 Federal Building
Bemidji, MN 56601
FTS: 8-784-1701
COMM: 218/751-7701

BILLINGS

Scholarship Coordinator
Billings Area IHS
P. O. Box 2143
Billings, MT 59103
FTS: 8-585-6320
COMM: 406/657-6520

CALIFORNIA

Scholarship Coordinator
California Program Ofc.
IHS: 2999 Fulton Avenue
Sacramento, CA 95821
FTS: 8-460-4202
COMM: 916/484-4202

NAVAJO

Scholarship Coordinator
Navajo Area IHS
P. O. Box G
Window Rock, AZ 86515
FTS: 8-572-8217
COMM: 602/871-5817

OKLAHOMA CITY

Scholarship Coordinator
Oklahoma City Area IHS
215 Dean A. McGee St., NW
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
FTS: 8-736-4448
COMM: 405/231-4448

PHOENIX

Scholarship Coordinator
Phoenix Area IHS
3738 N. 16th St., Suite A
Phoenix, AZ 85016
FTS: 8-261-2070
COMM: 602/241-2070

PORTLAND

Scholarship Coordinator
Portland Area IHS
Federal Building, Rm 476
1220 S.W. Third Avenue
Portland, OR 97204
FTS: 8-423-2019
COMM: 503/221-2019

TUCSON PROGRAM OFFICE

Scholarship Coordinator
Tucson Area IHS
7900 S. J. Stock Road
Tucson, AZ 85746
FTS: 8-762-6171
COMM: 602/629-6171

NASHVILLE PROGRAM OFFICE

Scholarship Coordinator
IHS: Nashville Prog. Ofc.
Oaks Tower Bldg., #810
1101 Kermit Drive
Nashville, TN 37217
FTS: 8-852-5104
COMM: 615/251-5104

SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIP OFFICES

INMED

Scholarship Coordinator
Indians into Medicine (INMED)
Univ. of North Dakota
501 N. Columbia Road
Grand Forks, ND 58201
FTS: 8-701-777-3037
COMM: 701/777-3037

LUMBEE

Scholarship Coordinator
Lumbee Regional Development Association
P. O. Box 68
Pembroke, NC 28372
FTS: 8-919-521-8602
COMM: 919/521-8602

MAJOR SOURCES OF INFORMATION ABOUT HEALTH CAREERS

American Academy of Pediatrics, 1801 Hinman Avenue, Evanston,
IL 60204

American Academy of Physicians' Associates, 2150 Pennsylvania
Avenue, Rm. 356, Washington, D.C. 20037

American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy, 4630 Montgomery
Street, Suite 201, Bethesda, Maryland 20014

American Association of Medical Assistants, Inc. 20 North
Wacker Drive, Suite 1575, Chicago, IL 60606

American Respiratory Therapy Foundation, 1720 Regal Row, Suite
112, Dallas, Texas 752[illegible]5

American College of Hospital Administrators, 840 North Lake
Shore Drive, Chicago, IL 60611

American College of Nurse-Midwives, 1522 K Dr. N.W., Suite
1120, Washington, D.C. 20005

American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, 600
Maryland Avenue, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20024

American Corrective Therapy Association, Inc., Veterans Administration
Center, Temple, TX 76501

American Dental Association, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago,
IL 60611

American Hospital Association, 840 North Lake Shore Drive,
Chicago, IL 60611

American Medical Technologists, 710 Higgins Road, Park Ridge,
IL 60068

American Medical Women's Association, 465 Grand Street, 3rd
Floor, New York, N.Y. 10002

American Occupational Therapy Foundation, 1383 Piccard Drive,
Suite 201, Rockville, Maryland 20850

American Optometric Association, 243 N. Lindbergh Blvd., St.
Louis, Missouri 63141

American Physical Therapy Association, (Address changes frequently)

American Public Health Association, 1015 - 15th Street N.W.,
Washington, D.C. 20005

American Society for Medical Technology, Education Research
Fund, Inc., 330 Meadowfern, Houston, TX 77061

American Society of Radiologic Technologists, (address changes
frequently)

American Veterinary Medical Association Foundation, Auxiliary
Student Loan Fund, 930 North Miacham Rd., Schaumbury, IL 60196

Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions, One Dupont Circle, Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20036

Association of Schools of Public Health, 1015 15th Street, N.W., Suite 404, Washington, D.C. 20005

Medical Library Association, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 2023, Chicago, IL 60611

National Mental Health Association, 1021 Prince Street, Alexandra, VA 22314

National Association of Social Workers, 600 Southern Bldg., 15th & H Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005

National Environmental Health Association, 1200 Lincoln, Suite 704, Denver, CO 80203

National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, 79 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10016

Society for Public Health Education, 655 Sutter Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

Society of Nuclear Medical Technologists, (Address changes frequently)

Society of Nuclear Medicine, 211 East 43rd Street, New York, N.Y. 10017

WICHE Student Exchange Programs (Western Inter-State Commission of Higher Education), P.O. Drawer P, Boulder, CO 80302

NOTE:

An important source of health career information is the State Department of Health. They often have very good publications on specific health career programs sponsored by each particular state. So, take the initiative and write to the state in which you reside, or the state in which your are interested in working:

For such information write to:

Director, Health Education Branch
State Department of Health
State Capitol of your state

PUBLICATIONS

Admission Requirements of American Dental Schools - American Association of Dental Schools, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611

A Career in Veterinary Medicine - Available from Bureau of Health Resources Development, Health Resources Administration, U.S. Department of Health Education & Welfare, 5600 Fishers Land, Rockville, MD 20867

A Handbook for Minority Pre-Med Student - American Medical Student Association, 1910 Association Drive, Reston, VA 22091; $4:00 Membership services.

A Selected List of Major Fellowship Opportuities and Aids to Advanced Education for United States Citizens - Publication Office, National Science Foundation, 1800 G Street N.W., Washington, D.C. 20550

A Summary of Training Programs - Department of HEW, DHEW Publication NIH 73 - 318, Bureau of Health Manpower Education, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20014

College Costs Today - Summary of Costs of Tuition, Fees, board and room at most U.S. colleges and universities, New York Life Insurance Company. Free. Available from any New York Life agent in a local sales office.

College Scholarship Service Philosophy of Financial Aid - College Entrance Examination Board, 888 Seventh Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10019

Effectiveness Of A Medical Education Reinforcement and Enrichment Program for Minorities in the Health Professions: Futura Publishing Company, Inc., 295 Main Street, P.O. Box 330, Mount Kisco, NY 10549; Price of the book is $12.00

Financial Aid For Students-Guide to Federally Supported Programs - Federal Student Aid Program, Department of Education, DEA-86, Pueblo, CO 81009

Find Program - (AMA) American Medical Association, 353 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60610

Health Careers for American Indians/Alaska Natives - Department of HEW HSMHA, Indian Health Service Hdqtr. Office, 5600 Fishers Lane, Parklawn Bldg., Rockville, MD 20857

Health Careers Guidebook - Available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402

Health Education Assistant Loan Program - Available from Hill Program, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rm. 839, Rockville, MD 20857

How Medical Students Finance Their Education - Available from Students Assistant Institutional Sponsor Branch, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rm. 383, Rockville, MD 20857

Medical Education: Responses to a Challenge/Minorities and the Dis-Advantaged: Development and Representation in the Health Professions: Available from Futura Publishing Company, Inc., 295 Main Street, P.O. 330, Mount Kisco, N.Y. 10548. The price of the book is $13.00.

Medical School Admission Requirements - Association of American Medical Colleges, One Dupont Circle, N.W., Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20036

Minorities in Science: The Challenge for Change in Biomedicine - Plenum Publishers, 233 Spring Street, New york, N.Y. 10013, price of the book (softbound) $6.95 and (hardbound) $25.00.

Minority Student Opportunities in United States Medical Schools--Membership and Publication Orders, Association of American Medical Colleges,Suite 200, One Dupont Circle, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036

Need a Lift? Education Opportunities - Published by the American Legion Educational and Scholarship Program, American Legion Department "S" , P.O. Box 1005, Indianapolis, IN 46206

The Student Guide: Five Federal Financial Aid Programs - Federal Student Aid Program, Department of Education, DEA-86, Pueblo, CO 81009

Where to Get Health Career Information - Available from National Health Council, Inc., 1740 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10019

Minorities and Women in the Health Field - Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402

SECTION II

INFORMATION & SCHOLARSHIPS ON MEDICAL SCHOOLS & RELATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS

WE HAVE INCLUDED A SPECIAL SECTION ON SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONS SPECIFICALLY FOR AMERICAN INDIANS BECAUSE OF THE GREAT NEED FOR INDIAN HEALTH PROFESSIONALS.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THIS FIELD YOU SHOULD SERIOUSLY PURSUE THE POSSIBILITY OF ENTERING THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS. THERE ARE MANY SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE IN THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS, AS WELL AS SPECIAL ADVISORY AND COUNSELING ASSISTANCE. All THAT IS NEEDED IS DETERMINATION AND DEDICATION ON YOUR PART.

FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE MEDICAL FIELD CAN BE OBTAINED BY WRITING TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

TERRY HUNTER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN INDIAN PHYSICANS, INC.
10013 S. Pennsylvania
Oklahoma City, OK 73159

TELEPHONE: 405/692-1202

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MINORITY MEDICAL SCHOOL APPLICANTS

IMPORTANT:

Potential minority applicants (for racial and/or socio-economic groups currently underrepersented in medical education) may register for the Medical Minority Applicant Registry at the time they take the MCAT. They may do so by voluntarily responding to the minority status question on the MCAT questionnaire.

Interested minority group applicants provide Med-MAR with a minimal amount of application information. This information consists mainly of MCAT scores and biographical data such as name, address, age, state of residence, social security number, undergraduate college, undergraduate major, and self identification. For more information contact:

Minority Student Information Clearinghouse
Association of American Medical College
One Dupont Circle, N.W., Suite 200
Washington, D.C. 20036
(202) 828-9499

SCHOLARSHIPS:

AMERICAN FUND FOR DENTAL HEALTH - 211 E. Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611. Dental Laboratory Technology Scholarships - for students enrolled, or planning to enroll, in a accredited dental laboratory technology course; Minority Dental Student Scholarships - for dental students belonging to a minority which is under-represented in the dental profession - Black Americans,Mexican Americans, American Indians, and Puerto Ricans.

THE AMERICAN NURSES' ASSOCIATION - Ethnic/Racial Minority Fellowship Programs, American Nurses' Association, 2420 Pershing Road, Kansas City, Missouri 64108 or Washington Office, 1030 15th Street, N.W., Suite 716, Washington, D.C. 20005. The purpose of the scholarship awards is to provide financial assistance to ethnic minority registered nurses for baccalaureate nursing education. This fund was established by the American Nurses' Association in 1983 to assist minority students in obtaining baccalaureate nursing education, and thereby respond to national priorities for improved nursing care in underserved areas of the population, (e.g. Afro-American, Asian American, American Indian, and Hispanic American).

AMERICAN LEGION EDUCATION & SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - Box 1055, Indianapolis, IN. 46206, Attn: Eight and Forty Scholarships. Awards given to assist nurses to secure advanced preparation for positions in supervision, administration, or teaching.

ARMED FORCES HEALTH PROFESSIONS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - Commander, Army Medical Department Personnel Support Agency, Department of the Army, 1900 Half Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20324. The Army, Navy, and Air Force offer scholarships under this program to U.S. citizens enrolled in or accepted for admission to accredited schools of medicine and osteopathy in the United States or Puerto Rico.

ARMY NURSE CORPS - (a) The Army Collegiate Program -- Applicants must be enrolled as full-time students in a four or five year program leading to a B.S. degree in nursing at a college or university approved by the Surgeon General of the Army.

(b) Registered Nurse Student Program - For the diploma, associate degree, or graduate nurse enrolled in a collegiate nursing program leading to a BS or MS in nursing who can complete the requirements within 24 months. Obligated to remain on active duty for three years if they have participated in the program for 12 to 24 months, for two years if they have participated in the program for 12 months or less. For further information: Army Nursing Opportunities, U.S. Army Recruiting Command, Hampton, VA 23369, or contact your local Army Recruiter.

BERKSHIRE DISTRICT MEDICAL SOCIETY - 741 North Street, Pittsfield, MA 01201. A scholarship loan of $1,000 per year for medical students who are residents of Berkshire County, Massachusetts, was established in September, 1961 when the members approved of a yearly assessment to fund the program. Requests for applications should be directed to the Berkshire

District Medical Society, Attention: Scholarship Committee. The deadline each year is April 1st.

DR. JONAS E. SALK SCHOLARSHIP - New York City Board of Higher Education,535 East 80th Street, New York, NY 10021

JOSEPH COLLINS FOUNDATION - 153 East 53rd Street, New York, NY 10022. Actual financial need is, of course, a prerequisite to the granting of financial aid to medical students by the Foundation. However, in making awards, the Trustees consider the following additional factors:
1) the scholastic record and standing of the applicant; except in most unusual cases, he must stand in the upper half of his class. 2) a demonstrated interest on the part of the applicant in arts and letters or other cultural pursuits outside the field of medicine. 3) an indication that the applicant intends to consider specializing in neurology, psychiatry, or becoming a general practitioner. 4) evidence of good moral character of the applicant. Applications for financial assistance from the foundation must be made on the offical application form provided by the Foundation. A limited number of forms are available to accredited medical schools or colleges upon request by the medical school authorities.

AMST EDUCATION & RESEARCH FUND, INC. - 330 Meadowfern, Houston, TX 77067 - Medical technology students enrolled in a Medical Technology baccalaureate degree college program and who have completed the first semester of their sophomore year, may apply for a $2,000 - Fisher Scientific Company undergraduate scholarship offered, to be paid in equal installments to one recipient for their junior and senior year. Graduate student scholarships are also offered by the Fund, for interested students continuing their education beyond the baccalaureate degree in certain specialty fields.

INDIAN HEATH EMPLOYEES SCHOLARSHIP FUND - Federal Building, 115 Fourth Avenue, Aberdeen, SD 57401. Those entering health fields will be given first consideration.

MABLE WILSON RICHARDS SCHOLARSHIP FUND - 1977 DeMille Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90027. For needy women living in Los Angeles and surrounding area. Apply through Scholarship Office of specified medical schools in California.

MEDICAL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, INC. - 919 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 3208, Chicago, IL 60611. Medical Library Association, Inc., has a form which must be completed by all applicants and also has one scholarship which is awarded annually to a racial minority group student.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION - 1800 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20550. A selected list of fellowship opportunities and aids to advanced education. Available free from Publications Office, National Science Foundation .

NEVADA STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION - 3660 Baker Lane, Reno, NV 89509. Service organization for MD's. Grants are available to Nevada residents attending an accredited medical school in the U.S.

NEW ENGLAND BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION - 45 Temple Pl., Boston, MA 52111. Scholarship applies to accepted students at the University of Vermont College of Medicine who are residents of Massachusetts, Rhode Island or Maine.

NEW YORK REGENTS EXAMINATION FOR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION IN MEDICINE - Regents Examination and Scholarship Center, 999 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12210

NURSES' EDUCATIONAL FUNDS, INC - 888 West 57th Street, New Yew York, NY 10019. Purpose is to grant scholarships to registered nurses for advanced study in nursing degree programs. For this purpose it solicits and receives gifts and requests and administers them.

STATE MEDICAL EDUCATION BOARD OF GEORGIA - 244 Washington Street, N.W., Rm 468, Atlanta, GA 30334. The State Medical Education Board was established in 1952 for a two fold purpose: 1) to provide an adequate supply of physicians in the rural areas of Georgia; and 2) to provide a program of aid to promising medical students who do not have the financial means to attend a medical college.

LOANS:

ALBERT STRICKLER MEMORIAL FUND - 226 So., 16th Street, 4th floor, Philadelphia, Pa 19102. Loans for needy medical school students. Initial loans from $400-$800 - Requests for applications accepted from April 1st. Deadline for receipt of completed applications - July 15th.

AMERICAN MEDICAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION, INC. - 465 Grand Street, New York, NY 10002. The American Medical Women's Association has a limited loan fund for women who are: enrolled in 2nd, 3rd, and 4th year classes in accredited U.S. medical or osteopathic medicine schools; U.S. citizens; and student members of AMWA. Loans are usually granted in the amount of $1,000 with payment on the principal to begin one year after graduation. Payment is to be completed within a three year period.

AMERICAN MEDICAL RECORD ASSOCIATION - 875 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1950, Chicago, IL 60611. Terms of Loan: 1) An applicant approved to enter a program of Medical Record Administration or an active registered or active accredited member applicant accepted for study in a baccalaureate degree program may request a loan not to exceed $2,000.00. 2) An applicant approved to enter a program for Medical Record Technicians may request a loan not to exceed $1,000.00. 3) An active registered member or active accredited member applicant accepted for study in a master's degree program may request a loan not to exceed $2,000.00.

MEDICAL STUDENT ASSISTANCE FOUNDATION - Director, 2000 Washington Street, Rm. 323, Newton Lower Falls, MA 01262.

NATIONAL DIRECT STUDENT LOAN (NDSL) - Director of Financial Aid at one of the participating colleges or universities.

PHOENIX INDIAN MEDICAL CENTER AUXILIARY - 4212 North 16th Street, Phoenix, AX 85616

PICKETT AND HATCHER EDUCATIONAL FUND, INC. - P.O. Box 8169, Columbus, GA 31908. Educational loans are made to qualified residents of the Southeast to attend undergraduate institutions of higher education. Must be enrolled in broad liberal curriculum; excluding law, ministry or medicine. Amount of loans: $2,100 per academic year for maximum total of $8,400. Interest payable at 2% while full-time student and 6% afterwards. Principal deferred while full-time student.

IOWA MEDICAL FOUNDATION - 1001 Grand, West Des Moines, Iowa 50310. Loans to Medical students who are juniors and/or seniors. They must be native Iowans. The corporate purpose of the Foundation declares it shall engage in, assist, further, promote and contribute to the support of such charitable, educational and scientific activities and projects as are, in general, either directly or indirectly related to health or medicine,

SPRINGS MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP - Leroy Springs & Company, Inc., P.O. Box 50827, Indianapolis, IN 46250

UNITED STUDENT AID FUNDS, INC - 8085 Knue Road, P.O. Box 50827, Indianapolis, IN 46250. United Student Aid Funds is a private,not-for-profit corporation. They are a guarantor of the Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL) and the Parent Loan to Undergraduate Students (PLUS) programs. Students interested in obtaining an application for a loan under these programs should first meet the initial eligibility requirements.
1) Citizenship Status: Students must be either a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen. A non-citizen should be ready to document their status with an alien registration number.
2) Enrollment status: Students must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment at an eligible, post-secondary institution, attending classess on at least a half-time basis and meeting satisfactory academic progress standards.

MEDICAL SCHOOLS WITH PROGRAMS FOR INDIAN STUDENTS:

The following medical schools have indicated interest in American Indian students desiring to pursue careers in medicine. Education components such as counseling, special tutoring, financial assistance, and orientation differ according to the school or the college. Specifics can be obtained by writing to the Dean at that particular medical school. They are as follows:

Albany Medical College, Albany, N.Y 12208
Boston University, School of Medicine, Boston, MA 02118
Dartmouth College, Medical School, Hanover, NH 03756
Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA 02115
Loma Linda University, School of Medicine, Loma Linda, CA 92350
New York Medical College, New York City, N.Y. 10029
Northeastern Oklahoma State, Medical School, Tahlaquah, OK 74464
Stanford University, School of Medicine, Stanford, CA 94305
Tufts University, School of Medicine, Boston, MA 02111
University of California-Davis Medical School, Davis, CA 95616
University of California, School of Medicine, Los Angeles, CA 90024
University of California, School of Medicine, San Francisco, Ca 94143
University of Cincinnati, College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH 45221
University of Colorado, School of Medicine, Denver, CO 80202
University of Illinois, College of Medicine, Chicago, IL 60680
University of Iowa, College of Medicine, Iowa City, IA 52240
University of Michgan,Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI 48109
University of Nevada, School of Medicine, Reno, NV 89557
University of New Mexico, School of Medicine, Albuquerque, N.M 87131
University of North Dakota, School of Medicine, Grand Forks, ND 58201
University of Oklahoma, College of Medicine, Oklahoma City, OK 73190
University Oregon, School of Medicine, Portland, OR 97201
University of Pennsylvania, School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA 19104
University of Rochester, School of Medicine, Rochester, NY 14627
University of South Dakota, School of Medicine, Vermillion, SD 57069
University of Southern California, School of Medicine, Los Angeles, CA
University of Washington, School of Medicine, Seattle, WA 98195
University of Wisconsin Medical School, Madison, WI 53706
University of Arizona, College of Medicine, Tucson, AZ 85724
Yale University, School of Medicine, New Haven, CT 06510

SECTION III

MPH PROGRAM FOR AMERICAN INDIANS AND ALASKA NATIVES

THERE IS OPPORTUNITY FOR EXCELLENT AND REWARDING PUBLIC HEALTH CAREERS AS PROGRAM DIRECTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS, COMMUNITY DEVELOPERS, HEALTH EDUCATORS, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH WORKERS, HEALTH PLANNERS AND RESEARCHERS, AS WELL AS BIOMEDICAL LABORATORY ADMINISTRATORS, EPIDEMIOLOGISTS, BIOSTATISTICIANS, AND MANY OTHERS. A MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH DEGREE IS GENERALLY ESSENTIAL TO ENTER PUBLIC HEALTH FIELDS AND TO ADVANCE TO ADMINISTRATIVE, SUPERVISORY, OR POLICY MAKING POSITIONS IN THE PUBLIC HEALTH FIELD.

THE BERKELEY MPH PROGRAM OFFERS SUPPORT TO ASSIST AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE STUDENTS IN APPLYING AND ADVOCATING FOR ACCEPTANCE TO THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN INFORMATION REGARDING THE MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH DEGREE PROGRAM FOR AMERICAN INDIANS AND ALASKA NATIVES, PLEASE CONTACT:

AMERICAN INDIAN GRADUATE PROGRAM
140 EARL WARREN HALL
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
BERKELEY, CA 94720
(415) 642-3228

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PUBLIC HEALTH - WHAT IS IT?

Public Health as a field is devoted to the promotion of health and the prevention of disease through the identification of the factors affecting the health population groups and the determination of how best to bring about change necessary to assure the maximum well-being of all people. Accomplishing this mission requires the joint efforts of professionals from many disciplines directing their attention toward understanding the biologic, environmental, and social factors involved in the causation of diseases, as well as toward health policy and the structure of the health care system in public health. Identification of populations with special health needs and methods for addressing those needs are of special concern.

THE MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH DEGREE - WHAT IS AN MPH DEGREE?

A Master of Public Health degree is a graduate degree that is awarded to someone completing the academic requirements established at any of the 24 Schools of Public Health across the country. Students enrolled in Schools of Public Health can choose specializations such as clinic administration, health planning, health education, or any one of a field of fifteen or more different specialties. People interested in the field of public health are generally concerned with developing skills to work on problems affecting the health of the public or a community at large. Their approach is largely focused towards prevention.

Specialties include:

- Health Policy and Administration
- Health Education
- Biomedical Sciences
- Biostatistics
- Environmental Health
- Epidemiology
- Behavioral Science
- Maternal and Child Health
- Public Health Nutrition

Health Services Management
(combines MPH/MBA degrees)

Forensic Studies

And Other Specialties

WHY A SPECIAL MPH PROGRAM FOR AMERICAN INDIANS?

There are relatively few American Indians who have a Master of Public Health degree; however, more and more legislation such as the Indian Self-Determination Act, and the Indian Health Care Improvement Act calls for trained Indian people in administrative and policy making positions. Individuals who hold MPH degrees work in a variety of settings. They can plan and administer health programs at tribal, county, state or federal levels. They can administer hospitals or work in clinics developing health programs. They can work at policy making levels, or in developing and implementing new legislation that can affect Indian health for years to come.

Students enrolled in the MPH Program in the School of Public Health at the University of California at Berkeley, work toward the same MPH degree as any other student, are in the same classes and take the same examinations. Programs range from twelve to twenty one months depending upon the area of specialization chosen. Students also participate in 3-6 months off campus internships, at which time students can put into practice the theories learned at school.

The mission of a school of public health is to develop and teach the application of the social, administrative, biomedical and environmental sciences to the solution of community health problems. As an Indian student considering a health field, entering a school of public health could be the best direction in creating a better future for the Native people and yourself.

There are twenty four Schools of Public Health in major universities around the country. General application requirements for most Schools of Public Health are a bachelor's degree with relevant undergraduate course work and usually the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).

BACKGROUND OF THE MPH PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

In 1971 the program started at the School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley, for Indian students entering graduate school in the field of public health. A recruiting and support mechanism was established and in the Fall, three months after the award of the grant, there were ten entering students. The program is presently going into its fifteenth year of operation.

184 STUDENTS TO DATE

Currently there are 184 students who have graduated or who have been enrolled in MPH Programs through the Berkeley program. Seven of the graduates have gone on to medical school and sixteen to further graduate study.

Ninety percent of those now employed hold positions with tribes, Indian Health Service, or in other programs directly concerned with Indian needs. Students have come from 68 tribes and 25 different states which is a clear demonstration of the national scope of the program.

ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH AT BERKELEY

Since its establishment in 1948, the School of Public Health has provided trained personnel who have assumed leadership positions around the state, nation and the world. The School concentrates on the development and dissemination of new knowledge regarding the promotion of health, prevention of disease, and organization and operation of health care systems. Major areas of research emphases are the study of disease causation, environmental effects on health and disease, research methodology, health behavior determinants, organizational dynamics, operational analysis, planning strategies, consumer participation and program evaluation.

The School of Public Health is organized into two departments for the implementation of its academic programs: The Department of Biomedical and Environmental Health Sciences (BEHS) and the Department of Social and Administrative Health Sciences (SAHS). Each department is subdivided into smaller curricular groups which provide various emphases. In BEHS, the major curricular groups are Biomedical Sciences, Biostatistics, Environmental Health Sciences, Epidemiology, and Forensic Science. In SAHS, the curricular groups are Behavioral Sciences, Maternal and Child Health, Health Policy and Administration, Public Health Education, and Public Health Nutrition.

Although the two departments are divided into programs, they have the overall responsibility of presenting a curriculum that reflects the educational objectives suggested by the departmental name. Emphasis, however, is placed on providing all students with an understanding of epidemiology, biostatistics, environmental health, health behavior, health policy, and health care delivery.

SCHOOLS OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA

Department of Public Health
and Allied Health
University of Alabama
at Birmingham
Birmingham, AL 35294

Boston University
80 East Concord Street
Boston, MA 02118

University of California,
Berkeley
Berkeley, CA 94720

University of California,
Los Angeles
Center for Health Sciences
Los Angeles, CA 90024

Columbia University
600 West 168th Street
New York, NY 10032

Harvard University
677 Huntington Avenue
Boston, MA 02115

University of Hawaii
1960 East West Road
Honolulu, HI 96822

University of Illinois
P. O. Box 6998
Chicago, IL 60680

The Johns Hopkins University
615 North Wolfe Street
Baltimore, MD 21205

University of Loma Linda
Loma Linda, CA 92354

University of Massachusetts
School of Health Sciences
Amherst, MA 01003

University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, MI 48108

University of Minnesota
1360 Mayo Memorial Building
Minneapolis, MN 55455

University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

University of Oklahoma
P. O. Box 26901
Oklahoma City, OK 73190

University of Pittsburgh
111 Parran Hall
Pittsburgh, PA 15261

University of Puerto Rico
G.P.O. Box 5067
Medical Sciences Campus
San Juan, PR 00936

San Diego State University
San Diego, CA 92182

University of South Carolina
Columbia, SC 29208

University of Texas
P. O. Box 20186
Astrodome Station
Houston, TX 77025

University of Toronto
Medical Sciences Building
Toronto, M5S, 1A8, Ontario,
Canada

Tulane University
1430 Tulane Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70112

University of Washington
Seattle, WA 98195

Yale University
60 College Street
New Haven, CT 06510

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SECTION IV

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS HIGHER EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM

THE BUREAU GRANT PROGRAM IS A SUPPLEMENTAL PROGRAM DESIGNED TO MEET THE UNMET NEED OF ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS. UNMET NEED IS DEFINED AS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE COST OF EDUCATION AND THE RESOURCES IN THE FINANCIAL AID PACKAGE.

A GRANT IS AVAILABLE TO A PERSON WHO IS RECOGNIZED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR AS A MEMBER OF AN INDIAN TRIBE WHO HAS AT LEAST ONE-FOURTH DEGREE INDIAN BLOOD, WHO HAS BEEN ADMITTED FOR ENROLLMENT IN AN ACCREDITED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND HAS FINANCIAL NEED.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS MUST CONTACT THEIR HOME AGENCY, TRIBE, OR AREA OFFICE THAT ADMINISTERS THE HIGHER EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM FOR THEIR TRIBE FOR AN APPLICATION AND OTHER FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION. ALL APPLICANTS MUST APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID THROUGH THE COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE BEFORE THEIR DEADLINE TO RECEIVE A COMPLETE FINANCIAL AID PACKAGE.

GRADUATE AND LAW STUDENTS SHOULD CONTACT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESSES FOR AN APPLICATION:

MS. LORRAINE P. EDMO, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIPS, INC.
5106 GRAND AVENUE, N.E.
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO 87108
TELEPHONE: (505) 265-8335

AMERICAN INDIAN LAW SCHOOL PROGRAM
UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO
1117 STANFORD N.E.
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO 87131
TELEPHONE: (505) 277-5462

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS' HIGHER EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM

The information contained in this section covers both Bureau of Indian Affairs **Higher** Education grant and Tribally Contracted Higher Education programs.

Objectives of the Grant Program

The objective of the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Higher Education Grant Program is provide financial aid to eligible Indian students to enable them to attend accredited institutions of higher education.

GRANTS

The Bureau has two grants which are available to eligible applicants; undergraduate grants and fellowship grants.

Edudcational grants are administered by the Bureau's Area/ Agency offices and, in some cases, tribal contractors, under the provisions of 25 CFR Part 32.

Fellowship grants are available from programs contracted with American Indian Scholarships, Inc. and the American Indian Law School Program.

Loans

Educational loans are administered under the provisions of 25 CFR, Part 91 - Loans to Indians from the Revolving Loan Fund. Application for these loans must be made through either the Tribal Credit Association or the Bureau's Agency Offices.

Selection of a University or College

A student must attend an institution of higher education that has been accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or association, and which provides an education program culminating in a bachelor's degree or an acceptable two-year program leading to a bachelor's degree.

Eligibility Requirements

A grant is available to a person who is recognized by the Secretary of the Interior as a member of an Indian tribe who has at least one-fourth degree Indian blood, who has been admitted for enrollment in an accredited institution of higher education and has financial need.

Application Procedures

A student must:

1) Obtain grant application from the Area/Agency or tribal office that has service responsibility for his/her tribal group.
2) Contact his/her BIA/Tribal census office to obtain a Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood (CDIB) and tribal enrollment. (Attach CDIB to grant applicant).
3) Write to the admissions office of the school he/she is interested in attending for an application. Request a housing form if campus residency is required.
4) Request a financial aid packet from the school's Financial Aid Officer, who will prepare a financial aid package based on the applicant's need.
5) Mail Documents, (BIA grant application form, certificate of degree of Indian blood, grades/transcripts, college/university form, financial aid packet, school admission application), to the appropriate BIA or tribal office well in advance of the deadline.

Deadlines for BIA/Tribal Application

March 15 for Fall term and next academic year; October for the second semester; second & third quarters, second & third quarters, second & third trimesters. April 15th for summer school.

Deadlines for Colleges/Universities

Beginning in January and usually before March 15th

Tips for Students

It is your responsibility to take care of these expenses: Fees - Admissions application fee, a housing deposit, transportation costs, and any other fees which may be necessary before registration. Pay by money order or check and keep receipts.

NOTE: Any BIA grant awarded to a student cannot be made available until that student arrives on campus to register.

Student Responsibilities and Academic Requirements

Documents to submit to the Bureau of Indian Affairs or Tribal Contract Program:

- Bureau of Tribal Grant Application
- Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood (Initial applicants)
- Letter of Acceptance from college/university (Initial and former applicants)
- High School Transcripts or G.E.D. score (Initial applicants)
- Certified financial aid package form from the financial aid office.

Documents to Submit to the College/University:

- College Admissions Application
- Housing Form
- Needs Analysis Application (i.e. ACT, FFS, etc.)
- BIA Financial Aid Package Form(to be complete by the Financial Aid Office)
- Health Forms

NOTE: Students are advised that the federally-funded student aid programs are constantly changing. Therefore, consult with the school's office of financial aid for current information.

Academic Requirements For Continuance of Grant Award:

Undergraduate must complete 12 or more quarter/semester hours with a minimum of a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) per quarter/semester.

DIRECTORY OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AREA, AGENCY AND FIELD OFFICES

Information concerning scholarships, grants and loan programs may be obtained from the Education Officer at either the area, agency or field office of the Bureau of Indian Affairs. They are:

Scholarship Representatives & Other Locations

ABERDEEN AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 115 4th, Avenues S.E., Aberdeen, S.D 57401: Attn: Scholarship Officer, Phone: (605) 225-0250

Oglala Sioux Tribe, Pine Ridge, S.D. 57770 (Tribally Administered)
Cheyenne River Agency, Eagle Butte, S.D. 57625
Fort Berthold Agency, Three Affiliated Tribes, New Town,N.D. 58763
Standing Rock Agency, Fort Yates, N.D. 58538
Omaha Tribe, Macy, NE 68039 (Tribally Administered)
Turtle Mountain Agency, Belcourt, N.D. 58316
Devil's Lake Sioux Tribe, Fort Totten, N.D. 58335 (Tribally Administered)
Winnebago Tribe, Winnebago, NE 68760 (Tribally Administered)
Santee Sioux Tribe, Niobrara, NE 68760 (Tribally Administered)

ALBUQUERQUE AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, P.O. Box 8327, Albuquerque, N.M. 87198, Attn: Scholarship Officer, Phone: (505) 776-3161

Jicarilla Apache, P.O. Box 167, Dulce, N.M. 87528 (Tribally Administered)
Mescalero Apache Tribe, Box 176, Mescalero, N.M 88340
Ute Mountain Ute, Towaoc, CO 81334 (Tribally Administered)
All-Indian Pueblo Council, Inc., P.O. Box 6507, Albuquerque, N.M. 87197 (Tribally Administered)
Pueblo of Laguna, P.O. Box 184, Laguna, N.M. 87026 (Tribally Administered)
Publo of Zuni, P.O. Box 339, Zuni, N.M. 87327 (Tribally Administered)
Southern Ute Tribe, Ignacio, CO 81137 (Tribally Administered)
Ramah Navajo Agency, P.O. Box 241, Ramah, N.M. 87321 (Tribally Administered)

ANADARKO AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, P.O. Box 368, Anadarko, OK 73005, Attn: Scholarship Officer, Phone: (405) 247-6673

Anadarko Agency, P.O. Box 309, Anadarko, OK 73005
Cheyenne/Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma, P.O. Box 56, Concho, OK 73022 (Tribally Administered)
Pawnee Agency, P.O. Box 440, Pawnee, OK 74058

Continued Anadarko Area:

Kaw Tribe, P.O. Box 78, Kaw City, OK 74641 (Tribally Administered)
Ponca Tribe, Box 2, White Eagle, Route 6, Ponca City, OK 74601 (Tribally Administered)
Shawnee Agency, Rt. 5, Box 148, Shawnee, OK 74801
Horton Agency, P.O. Box 31, Horton, KS 66439
Kiowa Tribe, Attention: Higher Education, P.O. Box 361, Carnegie, OK 73015
Prairie Band Potawatomi, Attn: Higher Education, P.O. Box 97 Mayetta, KS 66509-0097

BILLINGS AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 316 North 26th, Street, Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 245-67111 Ext. 6375

Blackfeet Agency, Education - BIA, Browning, MT 59417
Flathead Agency, Ronan, MT 59864 (Tribally Administered)
Crow Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Dept. of Education, Crow Agency, MT 59022
Fort Belknap Agency, Harlem, MT 59526 (Tribally Administered)
Fort Peck Agency Tribe, P.O. Box 637, Poplar, MT 59255 (Tribally Administered)
Chippewa Cree Tribe, Rocky Boy Tribal Education, Box Elder, MT 59521 (Tribally Administered)
Northern Arapahoe Tribe, Ethete, WY 82520 (Tribally Administered)
Wind River Agency, Box 158, Ft. Washakie, WY 82514

EASTERN AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 1951 Constitution Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20245. Phone: (202) 235-2571

Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee, N.C. 28719
Choctaw Tribe, Route 7, Box 21, Philadelphia, MS 39350 (Tribally Adminstered)
Miccosukee Tribe, P.O. Box 44021, Tamiami Station, Miami, FL 33100 (Tribally Administered)
Coushatta Tribe, P.O. Box 100, Elton, LA 70532 (Tribally Administered)
Seminole Tribe, 6075 Sterling Rd., Hollywood, FL 33024 (Tribally Administered)
Maine Indian Scholarship Committee, Box 566, Old Town, MA 04468 (Tribally Administered)
New York Field Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Federal Bldg. Rm. 523, 100 So., Clinton Street, Syracuse, NY 13260

JUNEAU AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, P.O. Box 3-8000, Juneau, AK 99802. Attn: Scholarship Officers. Phone: (907) 279-4115

Anchorage Education Field Office, P.O. Box 102933, Anchorage, AK 99510
AVCP Association of Village Council Presidents, P.O. Box 219, Bethel, AK 99559 (Tribally Administered)

Continued Alaska Area:

Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope, P.O. Box, 437, Barrow, AK 99723 ((Tribally Administered)
Mauneluk, Association, Inc., P.O. Box 256, Kotzebue, AK 99752 (Tribally Administered)
TCC (Tanana Chiefs Conference), Inc., First and Hall Streets, Fairbanks, AK 99701 (Tribally Administered)
Sitka Community Association, P.O. Box 4360, Sitka, AK 99835 (Tribally Administered)
Metlakatla Indian Corporation, P.O. Box 8, Metlakatla, AK 99926 (Tribally Administered)
Ketchikan Indian Corporation, P.O. Box 6855, Ketchikan, AK 99901 (Tribally Administered)
Tlingit-Haida Central Council, 320 West Willoughby Street, Suite 300, Juneau, AK 99801 (Tribally Administered)
Cook Inlet Native Association, 670 West Fireweed Lane, Anchorage, AK 99576 (Tribally Administered)
Bristol Bay Native Association, P.O. Box 189, Dillingham, AK 99576 (Tribally Administered)

MINNEAPOLIS AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, 15 South 5th Street, Minneapolis, MN 55402. Attn: Scholarship Officers. Phone: 612) 349-3609

Great Lakes Agency, Ashland, WI 54806
La Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians, Route 2, Hayward, WI 54843 (Tribally Administered)
Lac Du Flambeau Tribal Council, P.O. BOx 67, Lac Du Flambeau, WI 54338 (Tribally Administered)
Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin, P.O. Box 397, Keshena, WI 54135 (Tribally Administered)
Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, P.O. Box 365, Oneida, WI 54155 (Tribally Administered)
Red Cliff Tribal Council,P.O. Box 529, Bayfield, WI 54814 (Tribally Administered)
St.Croix Tribal Council, Star Route, Webster, WI 54983 (Tribally Administered)
Michigan Inter-Tribal Education Association, Keweenaw Bay Tribal Center, Baraga, MI 49908 (Tribally Administered)
Sault Ste. Marie Tribe, 206 Greenough Street, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49793 (Tribally Administered)
Sac and Fox Area Field Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Route 2, Tama, Iowa 52339
Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, P.O. Box 217, Cass Lake, MI 56633 (Tribally Administered)
Minnesota Sioux Area Field Office, BIA, 15th South 5th Street, 6th Floor, Minneapolis, MI 55402
Red Lake Agency, BIA, Red Lake, MN 56671
Stockbridge-Munsee Community of Wisconsin, Route 1, Bowler, WI 54416 (Tribally Administered)
Wisconsin-Winnebago Business Committee, Education Office, Route 3, 3004 County, Highway D, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54492 (Tribally Administered)
Minnesota Sioux Tribe, Box 160-Sioux Trail, Prior Lake, MN 55372 (Tribally Administered)

MUSKOGEE AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, Federal Building, Rm. 300, Muskogee, OK 74401. Attn: Scholarship Officer. Phone: (918) 687-2306

Muskogee (Creek)Nation, Tribal Capital Complex, P.O. Box 1114 Okmulgee, OK 74447 (Tribally Administered)
Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma, P.O. Box 948, Tahlequah, OK 74464 ((Tribally Administered)
Chickasaw Nation of Oklahoma,P.O. Box 1548, Ada, OK 74820 (Tribally Administered)
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, P.O. Box 1210, Durante, OK 74702 (Tribally Administered)

NAVAJO AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, P.O. Box 1840, Window Rock, AZ 86515. Phone: (602) 871-4941

Department of Higher Education, Navajo Nation, P.O. Drawer "S", Window Rock, AZ 86515

PHOENIX AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, P.O. Box 7007, 3030 N. Central Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85011. Phone: (602) 241-2320

Colorado River Indian Tribes, Rt. 1, Box 23-B, Parker, AZ 85344 (Tribally Administered)
Yavapai-Apache Community Council, P.O. Box 1188, Camp Verde, AZ 86322 (Tribally Administered)
Duck Vally Shoshone-Paiute Business Council, P.O. Box 219, Owyhee, NV 89832 (Tribally Administered)
Fort Mojave Tribal Council, P.O. Box 888, Needles, CA 92363 (Tribally Administered)
Gila River Indian Community, P.O. Box 97, Sacaton, AZ 85241 (Tribally Administered)
Hualapai Tribal Council, P.O. Box 168, Peach Springs, AZ 86434 (Tribally Administered)
Te-Moak Western Shoshone Council, 525 Sunset Street, Elko, NV 89801 (Tribally Administered)
Uintah & Ouray Business Committee, Fort Duchesne, UT 84026 (Tribally Administered)
Washoe Tribal Council, RT. 1, Box 68, Gardnerville, NV 89410 (Tribally Administered)
White Mountain Apache Tribal Council, P.O. Box 999, Whiteriver, AZ 85941 (Tribally Administered)
Yerington Paiute Tribal Council, 171 Campbell Lane, Yerington, NV 89447 (Tribally Administered)
Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah, 600 North 100 East Paiute Dr., Cedar City, UT 84720 (Tribally Administered)

PORTLAND AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, Box 3785, Portland, OR 97208. Attn: Scholarship Officer. Phone: (509) 634-4901

Colville Agency, P.O. Box 111, Nespelem, WA 99155
Fort Hall Agency, Fort Hall, ID 83203
Northern Idaho Education Field Office, P.O. Drawer 277, Lapwai, ID 83540

Continued Portland Area:

Elwah Klallam Tribe, P.O. Box 2034, Port Angeles,WA 98550
(Tribally Administered)
Puget Sound Agency, Federal Building, 3006 Colby Avenue, Everett, WA 98201
Spokane Agency, P.O. Box 6, Wellpinit, WA 99040
Umatilla Agency, P.O. Box 520, Pendleton, OR 97801
Warm Springs Agency, Warm Springs, OR 97761
Yakima Agency, P.O. Box 151, Toppenish, WA 98948

SACRAMENTO AREA OFFICE, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, Higher Education Scholarship, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825,
Attn: Scholarship Officer Phone: (916) 484-4381

Central California Agency, 1800 Tribute Rd., Sacramento, CA 95813
Hoopa Agency, P.O. Box 367, Hoopa, CA 95546
Southern California Agency, 5750 Division Street, Riverside, CA 92506

SECTION V

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
INDIAN FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM
(TITLE IV GRANTS)

UNDER SECTION 423, TITLE IV, OF THE INDIAN EDUCATION ACT, GRANTS ARE AVAILABLE TO INDIAN STUDENTS. THE PURPOSE OF THE AWARDS IS TO ENABLE INDIAN STUDENTS TO PURSUE A COURSE OF STUDY TOWARD:

A) A POSTBACCALAUREATE DEGREE IN MEDICINE, PSYCHOLOGY, LAW, EDUCATION, AND RELATED FIELDS: OR

B) AN UNDERGRADUATE OR GRADUATE DEGREE IN ENGINEERING, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, NATURAL RESOURCES AND RELATED FIELDS.

INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AND ITS APPLICATION PROCESS IS PUBLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN A BOOKLET ENTITLED "APPLICATION FOR GRANTS UNDER INDIAN FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM" (CFDA NUMBER: 84-087). IT MAY BE OBTAINED BY WRITING TO:

DIRECTOR, INDIAN EDUCATION PROGRAM
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
400 MARYLAND AVENUE S.W.
ROOM 2177, FOB-6
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20202

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT DOROTHEA PERKINS, INDIAN EDUCATION PROGRAMS, OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, 400 MARYLAND AVENUE, S.W. ROOM 2177, FOB-6, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20202, TELEPHONE: (202) 732-1924

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TRIBAL SCHOLARSHIPS AND LOANS

OVER 50 TRIBES HAVE ESTABLISHED THEIR OWN GRANT AND LOAN PROGRAMS TO PROMOTE HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THEIR MEMBERS. CONTACTS FOR TRIBAL ASSISTANCE SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH THE TRIBAL HEADQUARTERS OR THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20242.

A SCHOLARSHIP, GRANT OR LOAN FROM YOUR TRIBAL COUNCIL CAN BE A MAJOR SOURCE OF YOUR FINANCIAL AID. THE AMOUNT WILL VARY ACCORDING TO AVAILABLE TRIBAL FUNDS. THEREFORE IT IS SUGGESTED THAT SUPPLEMENTAL ASSISTANCE BE SOLICITED FROM OTHER AVAILABLE SOURCES AS WELL AS TRIBAL SOURCES. CONTACT THE TRIBAL CHAIRPERSON, OR THE TRIBAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE. SOME OF THE TRIBES WHICH OFFER ASSISTANCE ARE LISTED ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

TRIBAL GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

In the following list, those tribes marked with an asterisk are definitely offering either scholarships or grants. Please write to the Tribal Council for more information.

ALL INDIAN PUEBLO COUNCIL - Chairman, 1000 Indian School Road N.W., Albuquerque, NM 87107

BLACKFEET TRIBE - Chairman, Blackfeet Tribal Business Council, Browning, MT 59417

*CHEROKEE NATION OF OKLAHOMA - Principal Chief, Cherokee Nation Higher Education, P. O. Box 948, Tahlequah, OK 74465

*CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHOE TRIBES OF OKLAHOMA - Chairman, Cheyenne/Arapahoe Department of Education, P. O. Box 38, Concho, OK 73022

COEUR D'ALENE TRIBE - Chairman, Coeur d'Alene Tribal Council, Plummer, ID 83851

COLORADO RIVER TRIBE - Chairman, Attention: Education Coordinator, Route 1, Box 23-B, Parker, AZ 85344

COLVILLE TRIBE - Chairman, Colville Business Committee, P. O. Box 150, Nespelem, WA 99155

*COMANCHE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA - Education Director, Education Division, P. O. Box 908, Lawton, OK 73502

CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES OF THE FLATHEAD RESERVATION - Chairman, Flathead Tribal Council, Box 278, Pablo, MT 59855

*CREEK NATION OF OKLAHOMA - Education Director, Higher Education, P. O. Box 580, Okmulgee, OK 74447

*CROW CREEK TRIBE - Chairman, Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Crow Creek Agency, Fort Thompson, SD 57339

FORT BELKNAP TRIBE - Chairman, P. O. Box 1027, Harlem, MT 59526

FORT MOJAVE TRIBE - President, Mojave Apache Community Council, Box 888, Needles, CA 92363

FORT PECK TRIBE - Chairman, Fort Peck Tribal Executive Board, P. O. Box 1027, Poplar, MT 59255

GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY - Director, Education Talent Search Program, P. O. Box 97, Sacaton, AZ 85247

HOOPA VALLEY - Director, Hoopa Valley Business Council, P. O. Box 81, Hoopa, CA 95546

*HOPI TRIBE - Director, Hopi Department of Education, P. O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039

HUALAPAI TRIBE - Chairman, Hualapai Tribal Council, P. O. Box 168, Peach Springs, AZ 86434

JICARILLA APACHE TRIBE - Attention: Branch of Education, Dulce, NM 87528

JUNEAU ALASKA NATIVE BROTHERHOOD - Chairman, Alaska Native Brotherhood, Juneau, AK 99501

KALISPEL TRIBE - Chairman, Kalispel Community Council, Kalispel Tribal Office, Box 38, Usk, WA 99180

*KIOWA TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA - Education Director, Higher Education Grant Program, P. O. Box 369, Carnegie, OK 73015

*LAGUNA PUEBLO - Director, Scholarship Program, Laguna, NM 87026

*LUMMI INDIAN BUSINESS COUNCIL - Lummi Indian Business Council, 2616 Kwina Road, Bellingham, WA 98226

LOWER BRULE SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Lower Brule Sioux Tribal Council, Lower Brule, SD 57548

*MESCALERO APACHE TRIBE - Education Director, Education Department, Box 176, Mescalero, NM 88340

MINNESOTA CHIPPEWA TRIBE - Education Division, P. O. Box 217, Cass lake, MN 56633

*MISSISSIPPI BAND OF CHOCTAWS - Choctaw Tribal Office, BIA Higher Education, Route 7, Box 21, Philadelphia, MS 39350

*MOAPA RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE - Chairman, Moapa Band of Paiutes, Higher Education Scholarship, Moapa, NV 89025

*NAVAJO NATION - Chairman, Department of Higher Education, Navajo Tribal Council, Window Rock, AZ 86515

NEZ PERCE TRIBE - Chairman, Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee, P. O. Box 305, Lapwai, ID 83540

NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBE - Director, The Tribal council of the Northern Cheyenne, Career Development Program, P. O. Box 307, Lame Deer, MT 59043

*OGLALA SIOUX - Chairman, Oglala Sioux Tribal Council, Higher Education Program, Pine Ridge, SD 57770

OMAHA TRIBE - Omaha Tribal Council, Macy, NB 68039

POJOAQUE PUEBLO - Governor, Pojaoque Pueblo Council,
Route 1, Box 71, Santa Fe, NM 87501

PRESCOTT YAVAPAI - Education Committee, P. O. Box 348,
Prescott, AZ 86301 (BIA Scholarship Program)

*PUEBLO OF ACOMA - Acoma Johnson O'Malley, P. O. Box 309,
Pueblo of Acoma, NM 87034

*PYRAMID LAKE - Chairman, Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Education
Committee, P. O. Box 256, Nixon, NV 89424

QUINAULT TRIBE - Chairman, Quinault Tribal Council, Box 1118,
Taholah, WA 98526

*ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Rosebud Tribal Council,
Rosebud, SD 57570

SAN ILDEFONSO PUEBLO - Governor, San Ildefonso Pueblo Council,
Route 5, Box 315-A, Santa Fe, NM 87501

*SAULT STE. MARIE TRIBE OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS - Chairman, Sault
Ste. Marie Chippewa Tribal Council, Higher Education Program,
2218 Shunk Road, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

SENECA NATION - President, Seneca Nation, New Administration
Office, 1490 Route 438, Irving, NY 14081

SHOSHONE-BANNOCK TRIBES - Chairman, Tribal Education Department,
P. O. Box 306, Fort Hall, ID 83203

SHOSHONE TRIBE - Chairman, Shoshone Business Council, Fort
Washaki, WY 82514

SOUTHERN UTE TRIBE - Chairman, Southern Ute Tribal Council,
Ignacio, CO 81137

*SPOKANE TRIBE - Chairman, Spokane Tribe of Indians, P. O. Box
100, Wellpoint, WA 99040

*STANDING ROCK SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Standing Rock Sioux
Tribe, Tribal Higher Education Program, Fort Yates, ND 58538

*STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE TRIBAL COUNCIL - Stockbridge-Munsee
Education Department, Route 1, Bowler, WI 54416

TULALIP TRIBE - Chairman, 6700 Totem Beach Road, Marysville,
WA 98270

*UMATILLA TRIBE - Chairman, Umatilla Indian Reservation, P.O.
Box 638, Pendleton, OR 97801

*UTE MOUNTAIN UTE TRIBE - Chairman, Ute Mountain Ute Tribal Council, Higher Education Office, Towaoc, CO 81334

YAKIMA TRIBE - Chairman, Yakima Tribal Council, Toppenish, WA 98948

WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBAL COUNCIL _ Johnson O'Malley Program, P. O. Box 190, Schurz, NV 89427

TRIBAL LOANS

ABERDEEN AREA

OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Oglala Sioux Tribal Council, Pine Ridge, SD 57770

OMAHA TRIBE - Chairman, Omaha Tribal Council, Macy, NB 68039

ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Rosebud Tribal Council, Rosebud, SD 57570

STANDING ROCK SIOUX TRIBE - Chairman, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Fort Yates, ND 58538

ANADARKO AREA

CHEYENNE-ARAPAHOE TRIBE - Chairman, Cheyenne-Arapahoe Business Committee, Concho, OK 73022

ALBUQUERQUE AREA

SOUTHERN UTE TRIBE - Chairman, Southern Ute Tribal Council, Ignacio, CO 81137

BILLINGS AREA

BLACKFEET TRIBE - Chairman, Blackfeet Tribal Business Council, Browning, MT 59417

CROW TRIBE - Chairman, Crow Tribal Council, Crow Agency, MT 59022

FORT BELKNAP INDIAN COMMUNITY - Chairman, P. O. Box 1027, Harlem, MT 59526

JUNEAU AREA

ALASKA NATIVE - Superintendent, Anchorage Agency, P. O. Box 120, Anchorage, AK 99510

TLINGET AND HAIDA CENTRAL COUNCIL - Chairman, Career Education Office, P. O. Box 1587, Juneau, AK 99802

MUSKOGEE AREA

ADAIR COUNTY INDIAN CREDIT ASSOCIATION, MUSKOGEE COUNTY INDIAN CREDIT ASSOCIATION, SEMINOLE COUNTY INDIAN CREDIT ASSOCIATION - Muskogee Area Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Federal Building, Muskogee, OK 74401

NAVAJO AREA

NAVAJO NATION - Chairman, Navajo Tribal Council, Window Rock, AZ 86515

PHOENIX AREA

HOPI INDIAN CREDIT ASSOCIATION - P. O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039

PORTLAND AREA

COEUR D'ALENE TRIBE - Chairman, Coeur d'Alene Tribal Council, Plummer, ID 83851

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE COLVILLE RESERVATION - Chairman, Colville Business Council, Nespelem, WA 99114

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE UMATILLA INDIAN RESERVATION - Chairman, Umatilla Board of Trustees, Pendleton, OR 97801

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE WARM SPRINGS INDIAN RESERVATION - Chairman, Warm Springs Tribal Council, Warm Springs, OR 97761

NEZ PERCE TRIBE - Chairman, Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee, Lapwai, ID 83540

SHOSHONE-BANNOCK TRIBES - Chairman, Fort Hall Business Committee, Fort Hall, ID 83240

TULALIP TRIBE - Chairman, Tulalip Board of Directors, Tulalip Tribal office, Star Route, P. O. Box 8790, Marysville, WA 98270

YAKIMA TRIBE - Chairman, Yakima Tribal Council, Toppenish, WA 98948

SEMINOLE AGENCY

SEMINOLE TRIBE OF FLORIDA - Chairman, Seminole Tribal Council, 6073 Stirling Road, Hollywood, FL 33024

SECTION VII

FINANCIAL AID FROM SCHOOLS

EVERY COLLEGE HAS SOME FORM OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANT AVAILABLE, EITHER IN THE FORM OF SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, OR LOANS. THE BEST THING TO DO IS TO FIRST DECIDE WHAT SCHOOL YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING, AND THEN CONTACT THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE AT THAT SCHOOL.

REMEMBER, YOU SHOULD APPLY TO MORE THAN ONE SCHOOL TO INSURE ACCEPTANCE, AND YOU SHOULD ALSO CONTACT THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE AT EACH SCHOOL YOU ARE APPLYING TO. DON'T WORRY ABOUT APPLYING TO MORE THAN ONE SCHOOL. MANY SCHOOLS ALSO WAIVE APPLICATION FEES (YOU DON'T PAY) FOR MINORITY STUDENTS. HOWEVER, THIS WAIVER MUST BE REQUESTED.

THERE ARE ALSO QUITE A FEW SCHOOLS WHICH OFFER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS SPECIFICALLY FOR AMERICAN INDIANS. ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES ARE A LISTING OF SOME OF THESE SCHOOLS, AND THEIR FIELDS OF INTEREST. IF YOU FIND ONE THAT INTERESTS YOU, DON'T HESITATE TO APPLY.

SCHOOLS WILL IN MANY CASES ACCEPT STUDENTS WHO DON'T MEET THEIR SCHOLASTIC REQUIREMENTS BUT WHO THEY FEEL WILL DO A GOOD JOB. THEY SOMETIMES GIVE SOME FORM OF TUTORING AND ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE. SO DON'T BE AFRAID TO TRY. A LITTLE BIT OF EFFORT ON YOUR PART CAN MEAN A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUR FUTURE. ALL IT TAKES IS A LITTLE BIT OF TIME.

UNIVERSITIES WITH NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES CENTERS

MANY UNIVERSITIES HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED SEPARATE NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES CENTERS. THESE CENTERS CAN BE USED AS AN EXCELLENT SOURCE OF SCHOLASTIC AND FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION. FOR FURTHER ASSISTANCE, CONTACT THE DIRECTOR OF THE NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES CENTER AT THE SCHOOL OF YOUR CHOICE, AND REQUEST THE INFORMATION YOU ARE INTERESTED IN. THE FOLLOWING PAGES GIVE ADDRESS OF THOSE INSTITUTIONS.

ALASKA:

ALASKA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY - (Anchorage)

Bureau of Indian Affairs Grant - Provides grants to eligible students who attend college on a full-time basis. Students should contact the agency to which they are enrolled for an initial application or for procedures for grant renewal.

Alaska State Educational Incentive Grant Program - The program provides grants to eligible students enrolled in undergraduate study. For an application, eligibility information, and application procedures contact the SEIG program or the University Financial Aid office.

Alaska Pacific University Achievement Scholarship - One-half tuition scholarships are available to Alaskan high school students who are nominated by a high school official as outstanding individuals or to high school seniors of non-Alaskan schools who are nominated by church officials.

Alaska Pacific University National Scholarship - A number of full tuition scholarships are available to high school seniors from states other than Alaska. Individuals interested should request their Minister or other church officials write a letter of nomination directed to the University Admissions office.

Career Development Scholarship - Part-time students enrolling for more than five undergraduate semester hours and less than 12 undergraduate semester hours can apply for this aid which will reduce tuition by 50 percent.

Distinguished Scholar Award/Alaska - Guidance counselors of Alaska high schools are invited to nominate two seniors for this full-tuition scholarship. The basic nomination requirement is a minimum high school cumulative grade point average of 3.5.

International Pacific Rim Scholarship - Those who reside in Pacific Rim Countries can apply for consideration for full-tuition scholarships. Applicants must be candidates for admission to the undergraduate baccalaureate program.

SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Alaskan Native Scholarship - The Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church provides a scholarship fund to assist Alaskan Native students. Students must file the Financial Aid Form and also apply for a Pell Grant and a BIA Grant. Contact Director of Financial Aid.

Sohio Scholarship - Sohio Alaska Petroleum Company provides scholarships to qualified students for attendants at Alaska Pacific University. Applications and further information are available from the Director of Financial Aid.

The National Methodist Foundation Scholarship - The foundation provides limited funds to assist Alaskan Native students. For further information contact the Director of Financial Aid.

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA - (Fairbanks)

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA - (Juneau)

Sohio Scholarships - Sohio Alaska Petroleum Company provides scholarships to qualified high school seniors.

Sealaska Heritage Foundation. Request information from Financial Aid office.

Tlingit - Haida Central Council. Request information from Financial Aid office.

JUNEAU-DOUGLAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Juneau)

KETCHIKAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Ketchikan)

All full-time students with "C" or better GPA are eligible to apply for financial aid.

SHELDON JACKSON COLLEGE - (Sitka)

Institutional scholarship funds are available from a number of sources for academic excellence and demonstrated financial need. Contact Financial Aid Office.

PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Valdez)

SEIG Scholarship - The State of Alaska also offers SEIG scholarships to individuals that have resided in Alaska at least 2 years.

ALASKA Cont.

Bureau of Indian Affairs Grants - Eligible American Indian students may receive grants through the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Applications are available from BIA offices and from Student Services.

Talent Scholarships - The Talent Scholarship Program provides scholarships to students with special talent in a variety of areas.

ARIZONA:

ARIZONA COLLEGE OF MEDICAL & DENTAL CAREERS - (Tucson)

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Tempe)

CONTACT: Indian Education Department, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ. 85281

Herman Bernikol Scholarship Fund - Provides scholarships for American Indian students at ASU. The basis of selection is scholastic ability Financial Aid Committee, ASU, Tempe, AZ 85281

Scholarships are also provided by the Board of Regents, and awarded to Arizona Reservation Indians who have demonstrated ability in scholarship and leadership. Scholarship is for tuition and class fees. Contact: Scholarship Secretary, Scholarships and Financial Aid Committee, ASU, Tempe, AZ 85281

ARIZONA WESTERN COLLEGE - (Yuma)

CONTACT: Registrar: P.O. Box 926, Yuma, AZ 85386

CENTRAL ARIZONA COLLEGE - (Coolidge)

CONTACT: Student Services, Central Arizona College, Woodruff at Overfield Rd., Coolidge, AZ 85228

COCHISE COLLEGE - (Douglas)

CONTACT: Admissions Officer, Cochise College; Douglas, AZ 85607

COLLEGE OF GANADO - (Ganado)

Arizona Student Incentive Grant - The College will provide grant to qualified students who are Arizona students.

Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants - Supplemental Educational Grants are available to undergraduate students with financial need who are unable to obtain education credit without such aid.

Bureau of Indian Affairs Scholarship/Grant - This Federal agency provides grants and scholarships to qualified American Indian students who are members of federally recognized Indian tribes.

Tribal Grants - Students who are enrolled in an American Indian Tribe are required to apply for financial assistance from that tribe.

College of Ganado Scholarship - The College of Ganado has a number of institutional scholarships which students may apply for by completing the Scholarship Application form.

GRAND CANYON COLLEGE - (Phoenix)

CONTACT: Laura Rawley Cheoske, Director of Financial Aid.

LAMSON BUSINESS COLLEGE - (Phoenix)

MESA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Mesa)

NAVAJO COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Tsaile)

Scholarships granted from agencies such as respective tribes, BIA sponsorship programs, BEOG-PELL. CONTACT: Registrar, Navajo Community College.

NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY - (Flagstaff)

The following scholarships have been designated for American Indian students. For further information regarding application and selection process, please contact the NAU Scholarship Office, NAU. Box 4199, Flagstaff, AZ 86011

Fenton Hopi Scholarship Fund - Dr. Carrol Fenton and his wife, Mildred, established a Hopi fund in 1959 to assist students who were at least fifty percent (50%) Hopi and enrolled in a full-time education Program.

Sally Fleming Memorial Scholarship - A scholarship fund for American Indians has been established in memory of Dr. Sally Fleming. An annual scholarship will be awarded to a American Indian student who will be selected on the basis of character, scholarship, financial need, and general education aptitude.

International Business Machines Scholarship - A scholarship is available to American Indian students who are deserving and needy. Any academic background is acceptable.

ARIZONA - Cont.

Native American Scholarship - Sixteen scholarships are awarded to American Indian students from tribes in Arizona. Applications are accepted beginning October 1st by the Scholarship Office.

Peabody Coal Navajo Scholarship - Application forms for Peabody Coal Navajo Scholarships are available through the Peabody Coal Company and the NAU Scholarship Office.

NORTHLAND PIONEER COLLEGE - (Holbrook)

CONTACT: Admissions Office; Northland Pioneer College, 203 West Hopi Drive, Holbrook, AZ 86025

PHOENIX COLLEGE - (Phoenix)

PIMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Tucson)

General college and tribal scholarship grants and loans are available for qualified students in addition to the Federal student aid. CONTACT: Indian Students' Services Office for information.

PRESCOTT COLLEGE - (Prescott)

SCOTTSDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Scottsdale)

Schumann Foundation Scholarships - Selected students enrolled in AAS degree program in tribal management.

SOUTHWESTERN - (Phoenix)

UNIVERSAL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE - (Phoenix)

UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA - (Tucson)

Financial assistance for Native American students attending the University of Arizona is available. Undergraduate and graduate Native American students in good academic standing qualify. Must meet BIA requirement of one-quarter Indian blood quantum for most university scholarships.

YAVAPAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Prescott)

ARKANSAS:

OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY - (Arkadelphia)

Scholarships available to all persons on equal basis. CONTACT: the Financial Aid office.

CALIFORNIA:

ANTELOPE VALLEY COLLEGE - (Lancaster)

Grant money, counseling, tutoring, and other services provided to low income and otherwise disadvantaged students.

American Indians/Alaska Natives must provide proof of established tribal affiliation to qualify for scholarship from the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE-STANISLAUS - (Turlock)

EOP students who qualify for financial aid will receive up to $1000 EOP Grant plus funds from conventional sources. Early application and completion of Financial Aid papers ensures maximum grant award.

CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC - (Pomona)

CONTACT: Director, 3801 West Temple Avenue, Pomona, CA 91768

CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC - (San Luis Obispo)

CONTACT: Counselor, EOP, California State Polytechnic, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 (805) 546-2301

The R. Knudsen and Valley M. Knudsen Foundation - Scholarship funds are made available to the College. CONTACT: Scholarship Secretary; P.O. Box 2335 Terminal Annex, Los Angeles, CA 90051

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Chico)

CONTACT: Director, Native American Studies, Chico, CA 95926

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Fresno)

CONTACT: Counselor, California State University, Fresno, Shaw and Cedar Avenue, Fresno, CA 93726

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Fullerton)

EOP grant for those with need as determined by University financial aid office.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Hayward)

CONTACT: Counselor, Recruiter, Native American Student Council Office, Calif. State Univ., Hayward, CA 94542

CALIFORNIA Cont.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Long Beach)

CONTACT: Recruiter, NAS, California State University, 6101 East Seventh, Long Beach, CA 90804

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Los Angeles)

CONTACT: Coordinator, EOP: California State University, 5151 State University Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90032

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Northridge)

CONTACT: Counselor, EOP: United Native American; California State University, 18111 Northridge, Bldg. C-5, Northridge, CA 91324

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Rohnert Park)

CONTACT: Financial Aid Office.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Sacramento)

CONTACT: Al Striplen, Associate Director; Educational Opportunity Program.

All EOP applicants are asked for financial aid programs. These include grants, scholarships, loan and employment opportunities. Awards, including the EOP Grant, are based on financial need which is determined by the Financial Aid Office.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY - (San Francisco)

CONTACT: Recruiter/Counselor: Native American Studies, California State University, 1600 Hollaway; San Francisco, CA 94132

CERRITOS COMMUNITY COLLEGE -(Norwalk)

CERRO COSO COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Ridgecrest)

Scholarships available. Any restrictions are based on the type of program a student is seeking i.e. LVN, Business major.

CHAPMAN COLLEGE - (Orange)

Substantial financial aid program available for all applicants. Categories include: need based, academic, merit, performance, athletic, leadership.

COMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Compton)

Federal and state financial assistance available.
CONTACT: Financial Aid Office.

CONSUMNES RIVER COLLEGE - (Sacramento)

BIA higher education and vocational education grants, as well as campus-based Title IV funds available.
CONTACT: Hank Smith, Financial Aid Office.

CHICO STATE COLLEGE - (Chico)

CONTACT: NAS Recruiter, Social Welfare and Corrections Program, Chico State College, Chico, CA. Financial aid to needy students, EOP scholarships to those who qualify by academic standards.

COLLEGE OF MARIN - (Kentfield)

CONTACT: Chairman, Ethnic Studies Department, College of Marin.

COLLEGE OF REDWOODS - (Eureka)

CONTACT: Director, EOP/Financial Aids, College of Redwoods, Eureka, CA 95501

COLUMBIA JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Columbia)

CONTACT: Director, Indian Education & Training Opportunity, Columbia Junior College, P.O. Box 1849, Columbia, CA 95310

CONTRA COSTA COLLEGE - (San Pablo)

CONTACT: NAS/EOP Counselor, Native American Studies, 2600 Mission Bell Drive, San Pablo, CA 94806

DEGANAWIDAH-QUETZACOATL UNIVERSITY - (Davis)

CONTACT: Chairman of Indian Studies, Route 1, P.O. Box 409, Davis, CA 95616

This University, established particularly for Indian or Chicano students, is interested in recruiting more people to give ideas, help plan, and work in all parts of the school. Financial assistance available.

DIABLO VALLEY COLLEGE - (Pleasant Hill)

CONTACT: Director, Special Programs, Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

CALIFORNIA Cont

FRESNO CITY COLLEGE - (Fresno)

CONTACT: Recruiter: Fresno City College, 1101 East University, Fresno, CA 96704

GOLDEN WEST COLLEGE -(Huntington Beach)

Scholarships are awarded to students who have completed at least 12 units at GWC. Selection is based upon academic achievement and financial need.

GROSSMONT COLLEGE - (El Cajon)

CONTACT: Coordinator, Multicultural Studies, Grossmont College, 8800 Grossmont Drive, El Cajon, CA 92020

HARTNELL COLLEGE - (Salinas)

The American Indian Program offers a scholarship to Hartnell College students.

Bureau of Indian Affairs financial assistance - The purpose of these grants and loans is to provide financial aid for eligible American Indian students to enable them to attend accredited institutions of higher education.

American Indian Scholarships - A compiled listing of scholarships specifically directed towards American Indian students is available. List is available through Financial Aid office.

Hartnell College Scholarships - Hartnell College has prepared a booklet of Hartnell scholarships which are available to new, continuing, and transferring students.

American Indian Program Loan - The American Indian Program has established an emergency loan fund for program students in need of immediate financial aid.

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY - (Humboldt)

Native American Career Education in Natural Resources Program recruits and helps graduate American Indian people into the Natural Resource professions. Office of Indian Education Fellowships for Native Americans in Natural Resources are available.

LONG BEACH STATE COLLEGE - (Long Beach)

CONTACT: Native American Studies Program, Long Beach State College, Long Beach, CA 90840

MERRITT HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING - (Oakland)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions, Merritt Hospital School of Nursing, Oakland, CA 94041

MT. SAN ANTONIO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT - (Walnut)

Financial aid, through EOPS, is available on a limited basis if you meet EOPS eligibility criteria. All applications for financial assistance are processed through the Office of Financial Aid.

MT. SAN JACINTO COLLEGE - (San Jacinto)

OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE - (Los Angeles)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions, Occidental College, Los Angeles, CA 90041

PALOMAR COLLEGE - (San Marcos)

CONTACT: Native American Studies, Box 92, San Marcos, CA 92069

RIVERSIDE CITY COLLEGE - (Riverside)

CONTACT: Director, Indian Special Services, Riverside City College, 4800 Magnolia Avenue, Riverside, CA 92506

Has a full two-year program for Indian education, and scholarships are available. CONTACT: Riverside City College, 3650 Fairfax Avenue, Riverside, CA 92506

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY - (San Diego)

SAN DIEGO STATE COLLEGE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK - (San Diego)

CONTACT: School of Social Work, San Diego State College, San Diego. Seeking American Indians for studies in social work, in both undergraduate and graduate programs.

SANTA ROSA JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Santa Rosa)

CONTACT: Chairman, Ethnic Studies, Santa Rosa Junior College, 1501 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95401

SHASTA JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Redding)

CONTACT: Recruiter, Shasta Junior College, Redding, CA 96001

SKYLINE COLLEGE - (San Bruno)

General scholarships are available. Bureau of Indian Affairs scholarships included.

SONOMA STATE COLLEGE - (Rohnert Park)

CONTACT: Native American Studies Program, Sonoma State College, Rohnert Park, CA 94728

STANFORD UNIVERSITY - (Stanford)

CONTACT: Stanford American Indian Organization. Ann Medicine, Graduate Admissions, Old Union Bldg. 590, Room 208, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (Berkeley)

Native American Studies Program - CONTACT: Ruth Hopper, Student Advising Assistant, Native American Studies, 3415 Dwinelle Hall, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720

Graduate Minority Program (GMP) - Provides financial assistance to qualified minority students who wish to pursue a graduate degree at the University of California-Berkeley. Awards are based on evaluation of academic promise, financial need, and program funds. Application is included in the Graduate Application form.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (Davis)

CONTACT: Coordinator, Native American Studies, Tecumseh Center, University of California, Davis, CA, 95616

The R. Knudsen and Valley M. Knudsen Foundation - CONTACT: P.O. Box 2335 Terminal Annex, Los Angeles, CA 90051
Scholarship funds are made available to the University of California, Davis, CA 95616

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (Irvine)

CONTACT: Director, Special Services, University of California, Irvine, CA 92664

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (Los Angeles)

Graduate fellowships for American Indians. (Must be a UCLA graduate student).

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (Riverside)

CONTACT: Indian Culture Program, University of California, Riverside, Riverside, CA 92502

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - SAN DIEGO - (La Jolla)

San Diego Fellowship Program is open to ethnic minority students, who are U.S. citizens and who have been admitted to a graduate program of study.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - (San Francisco)

Scholarships/grants comprise approximately 33% of financial aid (need based awards) with exception of a limited number of first year scholarships for medical students. Traineeships are based on other factors. (Consult School of Nursing, Graduate Division, and individual academic departments on campus for additional information re: traineeships)

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - SANTA BARBARA - (Santa Barbara)

Educational Opportunity Program - American Indian Component - To students who meet scholastic criteria. All students must apply to CSS to determine eligibility for college grants and other scholarships that are awarded on financial need including Bureau of Indian Affairs scholarships.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - (Los Angeles)

CONTACT: Admissions Office, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 90007

UNIVERSITY OF REDLANDS - (Redlands)

Bureau of Indian Affairs Funds, CWS, NDSL, SEOG, PELL, GSL, CLAS, University of Redlands Grants available. The University of Redlands meets the financial need of ALL applicants to the University of Redlands. CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid Office.

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO - (San Francisco)

Financial aid is provided to eligible students to meet their educational costs while enrolled at this university. To apply for financial aid, applicants must complete a Student Aid Application for California. Priority consideration is given to those students who submit applications. Aid is offered to students with a demonstrated financial need.

CALIFORNIA Cont.

WEST COAST UNIVERSITY - (Los Angeles)

Scholarships available to all students on basis of need, merit or combination, without restrictions; however, extremely limited in number and amount.

WHITTIER COLLEGE - (Whittier)

CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid Office, Whittier College, Whittier, CA 90608

VENTURA COLLEGE - (Ventura)

COLORADO:

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY - (Fort Collins)

CONTACT: Indian Studies Program, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO 80521

FORT LEWIS COLLEGE - (Durango)

Fort Lewis College offers free tuition to all American Indian students who are admissible to the college. All students apply for Federal Financial Aid Programs and should also contact their Tribal or BIA Area Office for scholarship consideration.

Division of Intercultural Studies: Scholarships available. Tuition waiver available for certified (CIB) American Indian students.

MESA COLLEGE - (Grand Junction)

All state and federal funds open to all students based on demonstrated need. Scholarships awarded to students with 3.0 or better (GPA), some out-of-state scholarships available. Inquiries concerning financial aid should be directed to the Office of Financial Aid.

METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE - (Denver)

CONTACT: Metropolitan State College, Denver, CO. 80204

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO - (Boulder)

CONTACT: Office of Financial Aids, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO 80309

COLORADO Cont.

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO - Denver)

CONTACT: Director: Native American Education Program, University of Colorado, 1100-14th St., Denver, CO 80202

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER - (Denver)

All need based funds are available to students with demonstrated financial need. Scholarships based on merit also available.

El Pomar Scholarships - The University of Denver is pleased to announce the El Pomar Scholarships, a new scholarship program for minority students. The program is made possible by funding from the El Pomar Foundation in Colorado Springs.

Alumni Scholarships - The Alumni Association of the University of Denver offers six full-tuition, four-year scholarships to outstanding high school seniors.

CONNECTICUT:

MITCHELL COLLEGE - (New London)

CONTACT: Scholarship Office, Mitchell College, New London, CT 06320

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT _ (Storrs)

UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAVEN - (West Haven)

CONTACT: Financial Aid Office.

DELAWARE:

DELAWARE STATE COLLEGE - (Dover)

UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE - (Newark)

Following scholarships are available:

Academic Scholarship Section I: President's Achievement Scholarship, College of Engineering Scholarships, Academic Incentive Scholarship

Academic Scholarship Section II: Academy of Newark Scholarship, Delaware Asphalt Pavement Scholarship

WASHINGTON D.C.

THE AMERICAN UNIVESITY - (Washington D.C.)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions and Financial Aid.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY - (Washington D.C.)

All institutional scholarships are available to all applicants regardless of ethnic background. The student need only demonstrate financial need through the Financial Aid Form of the College Scholarship Service.

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY - (Washington, D.C.)

Scholarship/University Award: Academically excellent students who are pursuing their first four-year undergraduate degree and who have demonstrated financial need may be awarded scholarship aid.

Educational Opportunity Program (EOP): This program is open to recent high school graduates (not necessarily of a D.C. high school) and to those who hold an Associate's degree from a community, Junior, or four-year college. If you think you may qualify for this program, contact the Office of Admissions.

GEU Grant: Available to full-time continuing undergraduate degree students. Provides awards to students who have an unmet financial need after the maximum federal aid package has been awarded.

FLORIDA:

BARY COLLEGE - (Miami Shores)

CONTACT: School of Social Work, Bary College, Miami Shores, Florida 33153

INDIAN RIVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Port Pierce)

Seminole/Miccosuke Indian Scholarship: For information write to: State of Florida, Student Financial Assistance Commission, Department of Education, Tallahassee, Florida 32301

SEMINOLE JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Sanford)

TALLAHASSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Tallahassee

FLORIDA Cont.

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA - (Gainesville)

Grants: Grants are gift aid (no repayment required) and awarded to undergraduates who show financial need. Grants listed in this section are coordinated and administered at the University of Florida by the Office for Student Financial Affairs.

University Scholarships: Scholarships listed, Freshman Honors Scholarship, Sophomore, Junior, Senior Honors Scholarship, Florida Junior College Scholarship, Minority Honors Scholarship, are funded from income generated through student fees and University funds. They are awarded by the Office for Student Financial Affairs.

Privately Supported Scholarships: Halcyon Boren Memorial Scholarship, Alfred I. Dupont Scholarship, Victor Garnett Campbell Eubank, Margaret Garrick Fairlee Scholarship, Jeffrey Weil Gelernter Memorial. These scholarships are funded by private donors and awarded by the Office for Student Financial Affairs.

Academic Achievement Scholarships: Florida Academic Scholars Program, National Merit Minority Achievement Scholarships, Selby Scholarship, University of Florida Freshmen Presidential Scholarship, University of Florida Alumni Clubs Scholarships, Wentworth Scholarship. These scholarships are coordinated by the Admissions office. These awards are based on academic achievement, although financial need may affect the amount of the award.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA - (Tampa)

Financial aid is available to all students who are citizens or eligible non-citizens of the U.S. Most aid is based on financial need including scholarships.

IDAHO:

BOISE STATE COLLEGE - (Boise)

IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY - (Pocatello)

American Indian Scholarships available through Idaho State University Office of Student Affairs, P.O. Box 8123, Pocatello, Idaho 83209

Ben Davis Memorial Scholarship: One $700 renewable scholarship (up to a maximum of four years) is awarded to an American Indian incoming student, with preference given to enrolled members of the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes.

Idaho Power Scholarships: Annually, four $400 awards are offered to entering voc-tech or academic ISU freshmen who are American Indians.

Tommy Hugues/J.R. Simplot Company Scholarship: This scholarship provides $1,000 per year, and is renewable for up to four years with maintenance of satisfactory academic progress. The recipient must show willingness to achieve a degree in earth sciences or business administration. Interested student should contact Colman Paniogue J.R. Simplot Company, P.O. Box 912, Pocatello, Idaho 83204

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO - (Moscow)

Limited out-of-state tuition waivers are available to minority students. Limited number of second-semester scholarship are awarded yearly for University of Idaho minority students (based on scholarship and need).

Students receive assistance through the Bureau of Indian Affairs and individual tribal programs. A select group of students are also participating in the Forestry Intern program which is a cooperative effort between the College of Forestry and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

ILLINOIS:

DE PAUL UNIVERSITY - (Chicago) (College of Law)

Questions about the financial aid philosophy, or scholarships should be directed to the College of Law, Office of Financial Aid, Room 1730, 25 East Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60604

ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY - (Chicago)

All students (eligible by indication of academic excellence) may apply for consideration. The Edward A. Filene Fund at Roosevelt University is restricted to American Blacks and American Indians pursuing disciplines in the business field.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS - (Chicago)

Native American Support Program: The Native American Support Program recruits, advises and acts as liaison between the American Indian students and the University, the funding agency and the Indian Community. The purpose of the program is to assist the student in retaining his enrollment at the University. A tuition waiver is available to NASP students who show need.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN - (Champaign)

Graduate College Fellowships: Fellowships are available to minority students beginning graduate study at this university. The fellowships pay a small living allowance plus most tuition and fee charges. Tenure is selected in a campus-wide competition.

WHEATON COLLEGE - (Wheaton)

Scholarships Available: Regular need-based government and college grants and loans available.

INDIANA:

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME - (Notre Dame)

Scholarships available to all accepted students and to those who demonstrate a need in the financial aid. CONTACT: Minority Student Affairs, University of Notre Dame, 373 Administration Bldg., Notre Dame, IN 46556

IOWA:

COE COLLEGE - (Cedar Rapids)

Scholarships available to students with a documented need. This aid is available under the Coe College Scholarship/Grant Program.

IOWA LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Emmetsburg)

CONTACT: Director, Office of Financial Aid, Iowa Lakes Community College, Emmetsburg, Iowa 50536

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - (Iowa City)

Scholarships available to Special Support Services students depending upon need. Minority Achievement Scholarships available to entering undergraduate freshmen. University has many scholarships available that students may be eligible for as well as the usual Federal financial aid programs.

GRINNELL COLLEGE - (Grinnell)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Grinnell College,
Grinnell, Iowa 50112

KANSAS:

HASKELL INDIAN JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Lawrence)

CONTACT: Chairman, Division of American Indian Culture, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Haskell Indian Junior College, Lawrence, Kansas 66044

FORT SCOTT COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Fort Scott)

CONTACT: Admissions Office, Fort Scott Community College, Fort Scott, Kansas 66701

Trustee scholarships for Bourbon County students only. Endowed scholarships are restricted according to wishes of donors.

FRIENDS UNIVERSITY - (Wichita)

Institutional Aid/Scholarships: CONTACT: Office of Financial Aid.
Grants: Proficiency Citizenship, Performance Citizenship, Ministerial Grant, and Junior Achievement Scholarships available.

State of Kansas Assistance: Tuition Grant Program, State Scholarship Program available.

Privately Funded Scholarship and Student Awards: Friends University is privileged to have a number of privately funded scholarships which have been established by alumni and other friends of University.

KENTUCKY:

BEREA COLLEGE - (Berea)

CONTACT: Director, Financial Assistance Program, Berea College, Berea, Kentucky 40403
Any student who can qualify for admission can also qualify for financial assistance.

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL NURSING - (Harlan)

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE - (Louisville)

LOUISIANA:

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS - (New Orleans)

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHWESTERN LOUISIANA - (Lafayette)

MAINE:

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT FORT KENT - (Fort Kent)

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT PRESQUE ISLE - (Presque Isle)

WESTBROOK COLLEGE - (Portland)

MARYLAND:

CAPITOL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - (Laurel)

Capital Institute of Technology offers a full range of scholarships to students. Scholarships are for students enrolled at Capitol Tech who have outstanding academic ability and demonstrated financial need.

Scholarships offered by private corporations and foundations (the Carl English Scholarship for Minority Students and Institutional Scholarships) are available.

The Avrum Gudelsky Scholarship: The purpose of the Avrum Gudelsky Scholarship is to recognize and encourage academic excellence of students in the Bachelor of Science degree program.

CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE - (Wye Mills)

Federal Title IV Student Financial Assistance, Pell, SEOG, NDSL, CWSP available. Academic scholarships are restricted to residents of Caroline, Dorchester, Kent.

JOHN HOPKINS UNIVERSITY - (Baltimore)

CONTACT: Susan C. Broadbent, Director, Financial Aid, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland 21218. University has a full complement of undergraduate need-based/merit-based scholarships and Graduate Fellowships.

UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE - (Baltimore)

Foundation fellowships are available to Maryland Community College students who are transfering to the University of Baltimore. Other Minority Grants, College work study, and student assistantships are available.

MASSACHUSETTS:

BOSTON COLLEGE LAW SCHOOL - (Newton Centre)

School has equivalent of 45 times annual tuition grants for minority and special admissions students, all based on need. All applicants also eligible for other scholarship and loan funds of the Law School.

MASSACHUSETTS Cont.

EMERSON COLLEGE - (Boston)

Scholarships/Grants: Scholarships/grants are available that require neither repayment nor any specific service to be performed by the students. Grants are given to students who demonstrate financial need without any consideration for academic achievement and who are eligible for aid as long as their record is at or above the minimum level required to maintain good standing at the institution.

Emerson Scholarships: Emerson Scholarships are awarded to students based upon both financial need and academic ability.

Massachusetts State Scholarship Program: Provide residents freedom of education choice by helping to reduce the costs of post-secondary education.

Carl J. Gilbert Matching Scholarship Grant Program: This program, created in 1977, is designed to make funds available to independent Massachusetts higher education institutions in order to provide financial assistance to needy Massachusetts students. To be eligible, a student must file a Massachusetts Financial Aid Form, demonstrate financial need.

RKO General, Inc. Minority Scholarship: Emerson College annually from earnings, funds minority students who plan to major, or are majoring, in one or more areas of communication to the public. Preference is given to students with financial need.

HARVARD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION - (Cambridge)

The American Indian Program at the Harvard Graduate School of Education is a private and federally funded association of students committed to the professional training of American Indians in the areas of education and leadership.

HARVARD-RADCLIFFE COLLEGE - (Cambridge)

Administers need-based scholarships, endowed funds, and federal grants. Financial need and acceptance to Harvard-Radcliffe are the only eligibility requirements. Students must file a Financial Aid application. CONTACT: Financial Aid Office, 313 Byerly Hall, Harvard-Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

MASSACHUSETTS Cont.

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - (Cambridge)

Financial Aid is provided on the basis of "need". All applicants for aid must complete a CSS Financial Aid Form.

TUFTS UNIVERSITY - (Medford)

CONTACT: Dean, Graduate School, Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts 02155. Offers a special minority scholarship fund, and a special two-year Master program for teaching.

WESTERN NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE - (Springfield)

WORCESTER STATE TEACHER COLLEGE - (Worcester)

MICHIGAN:

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Lansing)

Health Careers, Technological Programs, and transfer programs available. Scholarship funds also available from Michigan Indian grants, MDSL, GSL, CA education Benefits. CONTACT: Financial Aid Dept., Lansing Community College, 419 N. Capitol Ave., Lansing, Michigan 48901

MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY - (Houghton)

Michigan Indian Tuition Waiver available. Certification Letter from Michigan Commission on Indian Affairs required. CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid Office.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY - (Marquette)

American Indian Program: Provides support services to American Indian students enrolled in Northern Michigan University such as admissions, recruitment, financial aid and academic advising, and personal needs counseling.

Students attending Northern Michigan University are eligible for Federal Financial Aid benefits such as Pell Grant and Work Study, Guaranteed Students Loans, Bureau of Indian Affairs benefits. Michigan residents are eligible for free tuition under the Indian Tuition Waiver Program.

OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Bloomfield Hills)

Oakland Community College has established various programs of assistance for students in need of financial aid, which include loans, scholarships, grants-in-aid, and assistance through part-time employment. Information regarding any type of aid may be obtained through Financial Aid Office.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - (Ann Arbor)

University of Michigan Grants: These include University Grant, Michigan Opportunity Grant, and American Indian Grant. They are provided through University funds and are available to all undergraduate students and to graduate architecture students. They are awarded on the basis of financial need.

Supplemental Educational Oppportunity Grants: These grants are provided the institution from funds allocated by the federal government.

University of Michigan Grants for Dental Students: These include Dental University Grant and Dental Opportunity Grant. They are provided through University funds and are available only to dental students. They are awarded on the basis of financial need.

Scholarships are generally available through the department in which the student is enrolled. Some scholarships are targeted towards minority students; some have grade-point requirements.

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL - (Detroit)

The Law School's financial aid program is designed to assure that a student will not be denied a law school education because of insufficient family or personal resources.

The Law School administers or cooperates to provide information on several special funds which provide grants or loans to law students. Law Alumni Scholarships, Stanley J. Antosz Fund, Alexander Freeman Fund, Rebecca Anne Gourwitz Scholarship Fund, Law School Minority Students Fund.

Scholarships, Awards and Prizes: The scholarships, awards and prizes are determined on the basis of service to the Law School.

MICHIGAN Cont.

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY - (Kalamazoo)

Applicant must be a member of a racial-ethnic minority group and have regular admission to a graduate degree program at Western Michigan University. Awards will be made on the basis of scholarship , program selection, and available funds.

Thurgood Marshall Assistantships, Professional Tuition Grants: Applications for Thurgood Marshall Assistantships or Professional Tuition Grants may be secured from the Graduate College, the Special Programs Area, or the Office of Minority Student Services, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008

MINNESOTA:

BEMIDJI STATE COLLEGE - (Bemidji)

CONTACT: Admissions office, Bemidji State College, Bemidji, Minnesota 56601

BRAINERD COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Brainerd)

CONTACT: Director, Financial Aid Office, Brainerd Community College, College Drive, Brainerd, Minnesota 56401. Student must meet criteria of Scholarship.

COLLEGE OF ST. SCHOLASTICA - (Duluth)

Minority Indian Scholarship (state), Minnesota Tribal Scholarship - Pell - Federal Nursing Scholarship - SEOG - Benedictine Scholarship, based on financial need.

GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS COLLEGE - (St. Peter)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions, Gustavus, St. Peter, Minnesota 56082. Funding available to minority students who make application early in their senior year of high school.

MACALESTER COLLEGE - (St. Paul)

CONTACT: Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101 for Scholarship and Financial Aid information.

MANKATO STATE COLLEGE - (Mankato)

CONTACT: Director, Indian Program, Mankato, Minnesota 56001 for BIA funding and Scholarship in specific majors.

MINNESOTA Cont.

MOORHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY - (Moorhead)

CONTACT: Department of Multicultural Studies: Primarily a service department to provide cross-cultural information and courses to students majoring in other career areas. A minor in American Indian Studies is available. There are a number of scholarships available, none are specific to American Indian students.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA - (Morris)

Scholarships available, free tuition (waiver) for all American Indians, of at least 1/4 heritage, that qualify for admission. Freshmen academic Scholarship of $100 to any student in the upper 10% of their high school class.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA - (Minneapolis)

CONTACT: Department of Indian Studies, University of Minnesota, 1314 Social Science Tower, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55404

MISSOURI:

PARK COLLEGE - (Parkville)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Park College, Parkville, Missouri 64152. Funds and Scholarship open to all students who apply and have the proper qualifications.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY - (St. Louis)

CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri 63130

Scholarship available on need-based financial aid; Divisions sponsor honorary competitions for incoming freshmen.

MONTANA:

EASTERN MONTANA COLLEGE - (Billings)

Indian Career Services provides a comprehensive student support program for American Indian college students. One scholarship has been established entitled "To Excel is to Honor". This is awarded to academically outstanding EMC American Indian college

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students of specific class level. Please, note scholarship is very restrictive. Funds are quite limited at this time as scholarship was established only recently.

FLATHEAD VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Kalispell)

Federal financial aid (loans, grants, workstudy) academic scholarships (3.25 gpa and 45 credits) activity scholarships.

MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Bozeman)

CONTACT: Native American Graduate Fellowship Program, Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana 59717. Also American Scholarships or the individual Title IV Fellowships.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN COLLEGE - (Billings)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Rocky Mountain College, Billing, Montana 59102

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA - (Missoula)

Two scholarships for members of Montana tribes, two loan funds for American Indian students. NAS offers limited number of tuition waivers for non-residents. Other sources of scholarships are available at the University of Montana Financial Aid office.

NEBRASKA:

CHADRON STATE COLLEGE - (Chadron)

CONTACT: Carol Wright, Advisor, White Buffalo Club, Chadron State College, Chadron, Nebraska 69337

American Indian Students get scholarship assistance through regular college financial aid channels.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA - (Lincoln)

CONTACT: Indian Student Counselor, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA - (Omaha)

Scholarship available based on academic and major. All federal financial aid programs offered. CONTACT: Financial Aid Dept., University of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska 68182-0187

NEVADA:

NORTHERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Elko)

CONTACT: American Indian Program, Northern Nevada Community College, Elko, Nevada 89801. Grants-in-Aid and payment of a specified portion of registration fees for Nevada resident Indians available.

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA - (Reno)

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA - (Las Vegas)

WESTERN NEVADA COUMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Carson City)

Grants-in-Aid and payment of a specified portion of registration fees for Nevada resident Indians available.

NEW HAMPSHIRE:

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE - (Hanover)

All financial aid at Dartmouth is based solely on the financial need of the student's family. The College is committed to providing the funds necessary for all admitted American Indian applicants.

The American Indian Program at Dartmouth maintains a listing of financial aid sources available to American Indian student upon request.

NEW JERSEY:

FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON UNIVERSITY - (Rutherford)

CONTACT: Dean of Admissions, Fairleigh Dickinson University, 207 Montrose Avenue, Rutherford, New Jersey 07070
Offers a four-year tuition scholarship to American Indian students for full-time study program in elementary education.

RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY-NEWARK CAMPUS - (Newark)

RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY-QUEENS CAMPUS - (New Brunswick)

RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY-COLLEGE OF SOUTH JERSEY - (Camden)

STEVENS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - (Hoboken)

NEW MEXICO:

COLLEGE OF SANTA FE - (Santa Fe)

COLLEGE OF THE SOUTHWEST - (Hobbs)

CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid, College of the Southwest, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240 for various scholarships.

EASTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY - (Clovis)

Scholarships available at Eastern New Mexico University, Clovis.

Provost Scholarships: Two tuition scholarships a year are given to outstanding Clovis High graduates for the following academic school year.

Cannon Air Force Base Military Base Tuition Awards: One award will be made to the non-military spouse of a husband and wife team jointly attending the Clovis Campus. The award will be made to the non-military spouse taking the greatest number of hours and achieving the highest grade point.

Club or organizational scholarships: Various clubs locally give scholarships in varying amounts. Some organizations sponsor individual students they have chosen, while others give funds for scholarships to be used at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee.

Friends of Eastern Scholarships: These variable scholarships are funded by individual donations to the campus for students who demonstrate excellence.

Every student wishing to apply for scholarships must complete the New Mexico Financial Aid and Scholarship Application form provided by College Scholarship Services.

EASTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY - (Portales)

EASTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY - (Roswell)

INSTITUTE OF AMERICAN INDIAN ARTS - (Santa Fe)

Scholarships available to all American Indians (Aleut., Eskimo, Indian) students from all 50 States who have passed a GED or have a high school diploma, who are at least 1/4 degree American Indian blood and who have an interest and seek a skill in the Fine Arts and Crafts. CONTACT: Admission Officer, IAIA, CSF Campus, St. Michael's Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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NEW MEXICO HIGHLANDS UNIVERSITY - (Las Vegas)

CONTACT: Registrar, New Mexico Highlands University, Las Vegas, New Mexico 87701

NEW MEXICO INSTITUTE OF MINING AND TECHNOLOGY - (Socorro)

Scholarships available to American Indian students who have a good GPA. Scholarships also available from Mineral Industries and National Action Council for Minorities in Mineral Engineering. AISES
CONTACT: Special Services, P.O. Box 3577 C.S., Socorro, New Mexico 87801

NEW MEXICO JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Hobbs)

NEW MEXICO MILITARY INSTITUTE - (Roswell)

NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY - (Las Cruces)

CONTACT: Director, Native American Studies, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88003

NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY-GRANTS BRANCH - (Grants)

NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY-SAN JUAN BRANCH - (Farmington)

SANTA FE BUSINESS COLLEGE - (Santa Fe)

SOUTHWESTERN INDIAN POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE - (Albuquerque)

CONTACT: Apply directly to SIPI, P.O. Box 10146, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87184. SIPI provides vocational technical training to prepare Indian people for employment. SIPI offers free tuition and room and board.

UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO-COLLEGE OF NURSING - (Albuquerque)

List of Scholarship Funds: Agnes Ripple Adams Trust; Allstate Foundation; Robin Armell Scholarship Awards; Brodmerkel-Brown Memorial Scholarship; Ethicon Scholarships in Nursing; Shirley N. and Frank B. Gilliam Scholarship; Hoch Scholarship Fund; Portia Irick Nursing Scholarship; Emma Mae Olson Scholarship (requires recipient to be of American Indian origin); Pedrick Scholarship; Mildred Porter Powell Memorial; Ray Woodham Grant/SWCHS.

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UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO - (Albuquerque)

CONTACT: Director, Native American Studies Center, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106. Applications must be made through the Student Aid Office, Scholarship Division, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque 87140

UNIVERSITY OF ALBUQUERQUE - (Albuquerque)

Archbishop's Scholars Program at the U of A: The Archbishop's Scholars Program is designed for the exceptional student. The U of A will offer up to 5 Archbishop's scholarships to incoming first-semester freshmen in 1984. To qualify, a high school graduate must 1) meet the general requirements for admission to the University, 2) be an "A" student in high school and have pursued a college preparatory curricula, 3) submit three letters of recommendation including a letter from his or her high school counselor and from a high school teacher, 4) submit an essay of approximately 500 words describing the personal highlights of his or her high school education and academic goals for the future.

U of A Presidents Scholarship Program: The U of A will offer 10 Presidents Scholarships in the amount of $1000 to incoming freshmen who meet the following criteria: 1) the applicant must meet the general requirements for admission to the university; 2) the applicant must be in the upper 1/5 of his or her graduating high school class.

U of A Scholars Program: 20 awards of $1000 each will be offered to upperclassmen at the U of A who meet the criteria. An eligible application will be a full-time student at the U of A who is in good standing and making normal progress toward a degree.

U of A Student Government Leadership Award: The U of A Student Government will award a $1000 scholarship to an incoming freshman who has been active in student government on the high school level, who has demonstrated leadership and ability in this area, and who expresses a desire to continue to work in this area on the college level.

Scholarship Program, All Indian Pueblo Council:
P.O. Box 6507, Station B, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87197

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The Navajo Scholarship-The Navajo Nation: P.O. Drawer "S". The Department of Higher Education, Window Rock, Arizona 86515

Pueblo of Laguna Higher Education program: P.O. Box 194, Old Laguna, New Mexico 87026

WESTERN NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY - (Silver City)

NEW YORK:

ALFRED UNIVERSITY - (Alfred)

CONTACT: Financial Aid, Alfred University, Alfred, New York 14802

CORNELL UNIVERSITY - (Ithaca)

Special financial aid packages are available to minority group members. CONTACT: American Indian Program, Cornell University, 215 Stone Hall, Ithaca, New York 14853

LE MOYNE COLLEGE - (Syracuse)

Scholarship support for full and part-time American Indian students particularly of the Iroquois tradition, available. Certification from off-campus higher education committee that the applicant is American Indian, and certification that the applicant has expressed an interest in using his/her education for the betterment of the American Indian community is needed to qualify for scholarship.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY - (New York City)

CONTACT: Columbia University, Broadway and West 116th Street, New York City, New York 10027.

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - (Rochester)

Scholarships available. Majority of scholarships are based on need and merit. However, there are few scholarships which are based on merit only. A list is available from Financial Aid Office of Rochester Institute of Technology.

NEW YORK Cont.

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE - (Bronxville)

CONTACT: Admissions Committee, Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, New York 19708

Scholarships, loans and employment available for American Indian women who show evidence of seriousness of purpose and ability to do college work.

NORTH CAROLINA:

DUKE UNIVERSITY - (Durham)

CONTACT: Dean, the Graduate School, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina 27706
All applications to the graduate division of Duke University are automatically considered for financial aid.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA - (Chapel Hill)

CONTACT: Registrar, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

School of Public Health: See SPH, University of California, Berkeley. CONTACT: Assistant Dean, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

NORTH DAKOTA:

BISMARCK JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Bismarck)

Financial Assistance: Financial Aid services consist of scholarships, grants, awards, tuition waivers, loans, and part-time employment.

Federal Financial Aid Program: Bismarck Junior College administers a program of government financial aid for those students who can demonstrate a financial need to continue their education.

Pell Grants (formerly BEOG): Supplemental Education Opportunity Grants, National Direct Student Loans, Guaranteed Student Loans, College Work-Study Program are available.

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Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) financial programs are available to deserving and qualified American Indian students. Students who might qualify should consult the education specialist at their local tribal agency.

North Dakota State Grant Program: Provides eligible students with non-repayable grants.

North Dakota Indian Scholarship: Available to qualifying American Indian students. CONTACT: North Dakota Indian Affairs Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

North Dakota Nursing Scholarship/Loan: must be a resident of North Dakota enrolled in a nursing program. CONTACT: North Dakota Nursing Scholarship Loan, 420 North Fourth Street, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

North Dakota National Guard Tuition Waiver

Presidential Scholarship: This form of financial aid is awarded to full-time students who have demonstrated academic potential and special talents or abilities in such areas as music, dance, and drama.

Academic Scholarship: Twenty scholastic scholarships are awarded to full-time students on the basis of scholastic aptitude, citizenship, character, and potential contribution to Bismarck Junior College.

Development Foundation Scholarship: Scholarship application available from the Financial Aid Office.

CAPITAL COMMERCIAL COLLEGE - (Bismarck)

CONTACT: Director of Financial Aid Office, Capital Commercial College, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501

JAMESTOWN COLLEGE - (Jamestown)

LAKE REGION JUNIOR COLLEGE - (Devils Lake)

Community College Corporation scholarships available and campus based.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE - (Wahpeton)

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NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Fargo)

Support services for American Indians and other minority students available. North Dakota American Indian residents are eligible for state monies. American Indian students eligible for BIA grants (one-quarter degree or more required).

MARY COLLEGE - (Bismarck)

Academic and personal support systems provided for American Indian students. Tutorial assistance arranged when needed. No direct scholarship monies available.

If a North Dakota resident, there is a State Bank of North Dakota low interest Loan available. A scholarship for tuition assistance loan, and a scholarship from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs are available.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY-BOTTINEAU BRANCH - (Bottineau)

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA - (Grand Forks)

CONTACT: Director, Office of Indian Studies Program, Grand Forks, North Dakota 58201

OHIO:

ANTIOCH COLLEGE - (Yellow Springs)

CONTACT: Office of Admission, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387

Variable tuition arrangements can be made according to ability to pay. Seeking American Indian students, although students should be in top one third of graduating class.

CLEVELAND STATE UNIVESITY - (Cleveland)

CONTACT: Assistant Dean, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland State University, Cleveland, Ohio 44115. A special Legal Careers Opportunity Program for minority students provides an introduction to Law School program. Offers full scholarships for first-year students from the summer sessions.

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OBERLIN COLLEGE - (Oberlin)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio 44074. Full scholarships available to American Indian students.

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI - (Cincinnati)

CONTACT: Director, Institute for Research and Training in Higher Education, Univ. of Cincinnati, 3020 Woodside Place, Cincinnati, Ohio 45219.

A special program for fifteen students who would not typically be admitted to graduate school is available. Students are provided tutoring and assistance. Financial support is provided. Students living or graduating from undergraduate institutions within 200 to 400 miles of the University of Cincinnati are given priority for selection.

WESTERN COLLEGE FOR WOMEN - (Oxford)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Western College for Women, Oxford, Ohio 45056

Substantial scholarship aid will be given to persons admitted to the school.

OKLAHOMA:

BACONE COLLEGE - (Bacone)

CONTACT: Native American Studies, Bacone, Oklahoma 74420. Has a specific program designed for American Indians, and is interested in recruiting more. Some financial assistance is available.

CAMERON STATE UNIVERSITY - (Lawton)

CENTRAL STATE COLLEGE - (Edmond)

EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY - (Ada)

The Learning Resource and Counseling Center is cooperately funded by the U.S. Department of Education and East Central. This Center is designed to help

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students already in college or accepted for enrollment who find educational, financial or other obstacles blocking their path to success.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs joins the Center by sharing in the funding of a Counselor and tutors for American Indian students on BIA Scholarships.

EASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE - (Wilberton)

Valedictorian Scholarship: for valedictorians of graduating high school classes: Submit scholarship application form to President's Office.

Nursing Scholarship: for full-time students enrolled in Nursing with high academic qualifications and financial need. Contact director of Nursing Education.

Harrison Cope Memorial Scholarship: for outstanding freshmen students in Political Science. Contact head of Political Science Department.

Oklahoma Tuition Aid Grant (OTAG): for students enrolled at least half-time who establish a financial need according to DHHS Guidelines. Complete ACT Family Financial Statement.

Bureau of Indian Affairs Grant (BIA): Students who can prove at least one-quarter degree of American Indian blood and establish a financial need according to Guidelines. Complete ACT Family Financial Statement and BIA Application.

NORTHEASTERN STATE UNIVERSITY - (Talequah)

CONTACT: Native American Studies Program, Northeastern State College, Talequah, Oklahoma 74464

NORTHWESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Alva)

Scholarships available: each academic department has scholarships based on ability or high grades. American Indian students may receive assistance from the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA).

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OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY - (Oklahoma City)

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY - (Stillwater)

Recruitment/retention of ethnic minority graduate students. Special consideration given to Oklahoma residents. Awards include grants (Oklahoma residents only) and/or tuition waivers.

ROGERS STATE COLLEGE - (Claremore)

Each tribal or BIA agency has its own policies and procedures in regard to its scholarship program(s). Some tribal agencies offer scholarships for members less than one-quarter American Indian.

Grants are available to students who have a Certificate of Degree of American Indian Blood (CDIB) issued to them by their tribal (BIA) agency. Applicants must be accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university and should complete an ACT Financial Aid packet as soon after January as possible for the next academic year. These funds are considered to be supplemental in nature. That is, each applicant will strive to obtain financial support from other sources in combination with tribal or BIA Higher Education Scholarship Grant.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING - (Tulsa)

CONTACT: Office of Admissions, St. John's Hospital School of Nursing, 1802 East 19th St., Tulsa, Oklahoma 74104

SOUTHEASTERN STATE COLLEGE - (Durant)

SOUTHWESTERN STATE COLLEGE - (Weatherford)

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA - (Norman)

CONTACT: Office of Financial Aids, 650 Parrington Oval, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma 73069

The Sequoyah Scholarship is awarded annually to two American Indians, one in undergraduate studies, and the other in graduate studies. CONTACT: Coordinator of American Indian Student Services, 124 East Brooks, Normal, Oklahoma 73019

OREGON:

BLUE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Pendleton)

CONTACT: Director, P.O. Box 100, Blue Mountain Community College, Pendleton, Oregon 97801

CENTRAL OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Bend)

CONTACT: Director, Oregon Native American Consortium, College Way, Bend, Oregon 97701.

EASTERN OREGON STATE COLLEGE - (LaGrande)

Academic and Cultural support program for American Indians provided. CONTACT: Indian Education Office, Eastern Oregon State College, La Grande, Oregon 97850

PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY - (Portland)

CONTACT: United Indians for Higher Education, P.O. Box 751, Portland, Oregon 97207

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY - (Corvallis)

A support program for non-traditional students including counseling, financial aid counseling, free tutoring developmental classes, and job placement. Scholarships to waive, out-of-state tuition available. CONTACT: Educational Opportunities Program, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon 97331

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON - (Eugene)

CONTACT: Director, Native American Program, 104 Fenton Hall, Eugene, Oregon 97403

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY - (Salem)

CONTACT: Registrar, Willamette University, Salem, Oregon 97301

PENNSYLVANIA:

CARNEGIE-MELON UNIVERSITY - (Pittsburgh)

CONTACT: Dean, Graduate Studies, Carnegie-Melon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213.

PENNSYLVANIA Cont.

There is an abundance of scholarships available to graduate minority students.

COGME (Council for Opportunity in Graduate Management Education), Central Plaza, 675 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139

DICKINSON COLLEGE - (Carlisle)

CONTACT: Assistant Dean of Admissions, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania 17013. Provide assistance to student in financial needs.

FRANKLIN AND MARSHALL COLLEGE - (Lancaster)

CONTACT: Office of Public Relations, Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17637

One scholarship is offered to an American Indian student.

HAVERFORD COLLEGE - (Haverford)

CONTACT: Dean of Students, Haverford College, Haverford, Pennsylvania 19041. Offers one or two scholarships to American Indian students who wish to pursue a medical career.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA - (Philadelphia)

MARYWOOD COLLEGE - (Scranton)

RHODE ISLAND:

BARRINGTON COLLEGE - (Barrington)

RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE - (Providence)

Limited number of graduate assistantships are available.

CONTACT: Dean of Graduate studies. Also available are College Work-Study, National Direct Student Loans, and Guaranteed Student and Plus Loans.

RHODE ISLAND:

Work and Loan funds based upon financial need.
CONTACT: Office of Student Financial Aid Services.

ROGER WILLIAMS COLLEGE - (Bristol)

SOUTH CAROLINA:

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA AT BEAUFORT - (Beaufort)

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA AT SALKEHATCHIE - (Allendale)

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA AT SPARTANBURG - (Spartanburg)

The University of South Carolina at Spartanburg awards scholarships to students of academic ability or achievement, to those majoring in or planning careers in certain fields, to those with financial need, and to those who meet one or more other requirements, including having special talent in athletics, debating, drama, or music. Often a scholarship is given on the basis of several of these considerations.

Scholarships are provided through the generosity of individuals, businesses, foundations, or professional or civic organizations. In addition, several schools and divisions of the university, student clubs, and the USC Alumni Association award scholarships.

Scholarships are also available from The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, P.O. Box 455, Cherokee, North Carolina 28719

YORK TECHNICAL COLLEGE - (Rock Hill)

Scholarship funds are awarded based on the student's academic promise, more so than need. Private scholarships administered by York Technical College include: AMI, Bowater, Piedmont Medical Auxiliary (Pink Ladies), Kift-Mullen, Belk Department Store, D.L. Scurry and others.

Complete an application for Non-Federal aid (forms available in the Financial Aid Office at York Technical).

SOUTH DAKOTA:

BLACK HILLS STATE COLLEGE - (Spearfish)

CONTACT: Upward Bound, Spearfish, South Dakota 58201

DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE - (Madison)

CONTACT: Coordinator, Native American Program, Dakota State College, Madison, South Dakota 57042

DAKOTA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY - (Mitchell)

Special scholarships available designated for American Indian students ranging from $250 to full tuition. Restriction: American Indian and maintainance of normal progress toward degree.
The American Indian Studies Program also offers a wide range of support services to American Indian students in order to ease their transition into university life. Other scholarships available through Tribal and BIA Funding.

HURON COLLEGE - (Huron)

CONTACT: Director, Student Special Services, Huron College, Huron, South Dakota 57350

Bureau of Indian Affairs and State Grants: Aids for American Indian students are available by applying to the BIA and/or State Director of Indian Education. Applications may be secured from the Huron College, Director of Financial Aid, Huron College, South Dakota 57350

MOUNT MARY COLLEGE - (Yankton)

NATIONAL COLLEGE OF BUSINESS - (Rapid City)

NETTLETON COLLEGE - (Sioux Falls)

NORTHERN STATE COLLEGE - (Aberdeen)

CONTACT: Counselor, Native American Student Association, Northern College, Aberdeen, South Dakota 57401

OGALALA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - (Pine Ridge)

CONTACT: Admissions Office, Ogalala Community College, Pine Ridge, South Dakota 57770

RAPID CITY REGIONAL SCHOOL OF NURSING (Rapid city)

SINTE GLESKA COLLEGE (Rosebud)

CONTACT: President, Sinte Gleska College, Rosebud Community College, Rosebud, SD 57570

SIOUX FALLS COLLEGE (Sioux Falls)

Minority grant of one-half tuition awarded as one American Indian scholarship. Full tuition scholarship (the Robbie Scholarship) is also available.

Other scholarships (BIA, Directory of Financial Aid for Minorities) also available.
CONTACT: Gail Schlacter, Reference Service Press.

SIOUX VALLEY HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING (Sioux Falls)

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY (Brookings)

CONTACT: Chairman, English Department, South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD 57006

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA (Vermillion)

CONTACT: Director, South Dakota Satellite Program; University of South Dakota, Vermillion, SD 57069

Miss Ella C. Deloria Scholarship Fund for Indian Women - Selections are made from among qualified Indian women applicants based on the merits of each individual case. Several awards of this scholarship may be given at the undergraduate or graduate level in the amount of $100.

Joel McCrea American Indian Scholarship - This scholarship is given to either women or men annually in the amount of $1,500. For further information, CONTACT: Director, Institute of Indian Studies; 24 Dakota Hall, University of South Dakota, Vermillion, SD 57069

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA AT SPRINGFIELD (Springfield)

WATERTOWN BUSINESS UNIVERSITY (Watertown)

YANKTON COLLEGE (Yankton)

TEXAS:

UNIVERSITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI (Corpus Christi)

UNIVERSITY OF DALLAS (Irving)

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS - Health Science Center (Houston)

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH _ See SPH; UC, Berkeley, CA for further information. For admission or request of application, CONTACT: Admission Office, University of Texas, School of Public Health, P. O. Box 20186, Houston, TX 77025.

Public Health Service Traineeships are available on a competitive basis to all accepted/enrolled students.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS DENTAL SCHOOL (San Antonio)

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS NURSING SCHOOL (Austin)

WEST TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY (Canyon)

UTAH:

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY (Provo)

The Indian student who truly desires to obtain an education which will enable him/her to obtain an honorable profession has many sources of funding available to him. In addition to the tribal or BIA funding, North American Indian students who are accepted and thereafter make satisfactory progress toward their designated degree, can receive financial assistance from the Department of Multicultural Education. CONTACT: Multicultural Financial Aids, Brigham Young University, 127 Knight Magnum Building, Provo, UT 84601

Another source of funding available to Indian students is the Pell Grant. It is a federal aid program designed to provide financial assistance to those who desire to obtain a college education, but have limited financial resources.

Financial aid is also available through foundations, private companies, and givernment programs to students in selected areas of study, i.e., nursing, business, engineering, education.

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL (Provo)

COLLEGE OF EASTERN UTAH (Price)

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DIXIE COLLEGE (St. George)

Scholarship available: for American Indians. Callester Foundation Funds for Indian Scholarships.

SALT LAKE CITY COLLEGE OF MEDICAL AND DENTAL CAREERS (Salt Lake City)

SOUTHERN UTAH STATE COLLEGE (Cedar City)

Kimball Schoolarship: to American Indians in good academic standing, full tuition and half tuition scholarships. For outstanding American Indian students, based on GPA or leadership, given by Admissions Office.

STEVENS HENAGER COLLEGE (Salt Lake City)

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH (Salt Lake City)

This program provides special academic and financial aid, counseling, workshops. Typing and proofreading services, tutoring, testing, and classes in five basic skills. For more information, CONTACT: Special Services, Educational Opportunity Programs, University of Utah, 2007 Annex, Salt Lake City, UT 84112

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY (Logan)

CONTACT: Indian Special Services Division; Utah State University, Logan, UT 84322
Interested in recruiting American Indians, some financial available.
CONTACT: Assistant Director; Special Services, Utah State University, Logan, UT 84322

WEBER STATE COLLEGE

Educational Research and Development program for American Indians provided. Support services available to Indian students. Scholarships available, must apply to American Indian program before February 1st. All other Federal and State aid available.

VERMONT:

MARLBORO COLLEGE (Marlboro)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Marlboro College, Marlboro, VT 05344. Offers one scholarship of $2,300 annually to an American Indian student.

MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE (Middlebury)

CONTACT: Director of Admissions, Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT 05753
Actively seeking to enroll American Indians, and scholarships may be in excess of $3,000.

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT-GRADUATE COLLEGE (Burlington)

Fellowships fund minority students who wish to pursue graduate studies.
Graduate College Fellowship: The Graduate College offers 10 fellowships in support of master's degree programs in the social sciences and humanities.

Graduate Teaching Fellowships and Graduate Research Fellowships: Graduate Teaching Fellowships are awarded in many departments. Teaching fellows are generally appointed for nine months and the awards include a tuition scholarship covering the number of hours specified in the award up to ten hours per semester in addition to a stipend for the period of the fellowship.

Graduate Traineeship: Graduate Traineeships are available in certain departments through grants from various state and federal agencies.

Graduate Assistantships: Graduate assistantships are available when a department member receives a grant from a source external to the University.

VIRGINIA:

HAMPTON INSTITUTE (Hampton)

CONTACT: Registrar, Hampton Institute, Hampton, VA 23668.
Four scholarships available annually for American Indian students. The scholarships are renewable as long as grades are maintained.

RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE (Lynchsburg)

Honor scholarships for academic achievement available plus full financial aid program without restriction on amount that can be offered.
CONTACT: Office of Admission, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchsburg, VA 24503

VIRGINIA UNION UNIVERSITY (Richmond)

WASHINGTON:

EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY (Cheney)

Courses are taught in Introduction to Indian Studies, Native American Literature, Salish Language, History of the Northwest (Treaty Period), Federal Indian Policy. There is a counselor on the staff to provide academic, financial, and personal advice and guidance for Indian students.

Native American students at EWU generally rely on BIA, specific tribal and Pell Grants to fund their education.

SEATTLE UNIVERSITY (Seattle)

Financial Aid Office at S.U. handles all financial aid. There are no special scholarships that are offered by this university. CONTACT: Seattle University Minority Student Office, 12th and Columbia, Seattle, WA 98122

SPOKANE COMMUNITY COLLEGE (Spokane)

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON (Seattle)

CONTACT: Acting Director, American Indian Studies, C-130 Padelford Hall, Seattle, WA 98105

UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND (Tacoma)

Scholarships available are Federal, State, and University Aid. CONTACT: Assistant Director, University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, WA 98416

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY (Pullman)

CONTACT: Director, Native American Program, Pullman, WA 99163

WESTERN WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE (Bellingham)

CONTACT: Native American Studies Program, Western Washington State College, Bellingham, WA 98225

WHITMAN COLLEGE (Walla Walla)

Scholarships are available for students of at least one-quarter American Indian or Alaska Native descent.

YAKIMA STATE UNIVERSITY (Yakima)

CONTACT: Financial Director, Sixteenth and Nob Hill, Yakima, WA 98902

WISCONSIN:

LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY (Appleton)

The Financial aid office makes all awards based on the candidate's need, as determined from the Financial Aid form (FAF) of the college Scholarship Service. Students receive grants, long term loans, and work study packages. CONTACT: Director of Admission Office, Lawrence University, Box 599, Appleton, WI 54912 (444) 735-6505.

MID-STATE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE (Wisconsin Rapids)

Funds and scholarships available to all students based on private foundation guidelines, need, academic standing and specific programs. BIA, tribal and state Indian grants also available to eligible students.

Indian students should be encouraged to pursue private scholarships. CONTACT: American Indian Program Advisor, Student Services Office, Mid-State Technical Institute, 500 - 32nd Street North, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494 (715) 423-5650.

MILWAUKEE AREA TECHNICAL COLLEGE (Milwaukee)

Supportive services for American Indian students (career evaluation and counseling, financial aids advisement, program planning, limited social service advocacy) are available.

Wisconsin Indian Grant: This grant is available to any enrolled member of any tribe with the stipulation that he/she must be a resident of Wisconsin. This grant usually is used with matching funds from the BIA. CONTACT: Student Service Specialist, Native American Studies, Milwaukee Area Technical College, 1015 N. 6th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53203 (414) 278-6800.

NORTHLAND COLLEGE (Ashland)

CONTACT: Coordinator, American Indian Studies Program, Ashland, WI 54806

NORTHWESTERN COLLEGE (Watertown)

RIPON COLLEGE (Ripon)

Funds and scholarships available based on need and academic excellence.

WISCONSIN - Cont.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Barabon)

No local funds available specifically ear-marked for American Indians.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Eau Claire)

Advanced Opportunity Program and Financial Aid available for American Indians, Alaskan Natives and other minority group members. Graduate Assistantships and University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Foundation Fellowships also available.

Applicants for Advanced Opportunity Program must complete a student financial aid application. UWEC Foundation Fellowships are based solely on academic record and scholarly potential.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - AMERICAN INTERCULTURAL PROGRAMS (Green Bay)

CONTACT: American Intercultural Programs, American Indian Studies, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay, WI 54301 (414) 465-2770.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Madison)

Special Fellowships: The University has several fellowship programs of special interest to ethnic minority students.

The Advanced Opportunity Fellowship (AOF) Program: Specifically designed to expand graduate educational opportunities for minorities and economically disadvantaged students. Consideration for an AOF Award requires a nomination by the admitting department.

The Committee on Institutional Cooperation (ICI) Minorities Fellowship Program: Offers about 50 four-year fellowships annually to minority students seeking doctoral degrees in the social sciences.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Milwaukee)

CONTACT: Coordinator, Native American Studies Program, West 1220-B Sandburg Hall, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI 53201

WISCONSIN - Cont.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Stevens Point)

PRIDE stands for Programs Recognizing Individual Determination Education and is an administrative unit designed to help minority students be more successful in college. Programs are offered to students for academic advising, budgeting, financial aids, counseling, tutorial aid, and career counseling.

There are funds to aid graduate students. Eligibility criteria include a qualified need, acceptance into a graduate program at UWSP, and 2+ grade point average. Preference is given to minority graduate students in need of financial aid.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN (Stout)

A student services program is available that serves the special needs of American minority students. Assistance provided with admissions, recruitment, retention, financial aids, after graduation needs and job placement.

A scholarship program entitled Evelyn Brinkman Scholarship for American minority students available starting Fall 1985. CONTACT: Ethnic Services Center, UW-Stout, 206 Bowman Hall, Menomonie, WI 54751 (714) 232-1096.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN CENTER (West Bend) Washington County

Funds and scholarships available. State Indian grants for students with at least one-quarter Indian blood based on need also available.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN CENTER (Medford)

WAUKESJA COUNTY TECHNICAL INSTITUTE (Pewaukee)

WISCONSIN INDIAN HEAD TECHNICAL INSTITUTE (Rice Lake)

CONTACT: Financial Aid, Wisconsin Indian Head Technical Institute, 1900 College E. Drive, Rice Lake, WI 54868

WYOMING:

CENTRAL WYOMING COLLEGE (Riverton)

WYOMING - Cont.

EASTERN WYOMING COLLEGE (Torrington)

Goshen County Stockgrower's Association: Available to EWC sophomore majoring in an ag-related field. Must be a resident of Goshen County.

Albert "Ab" Harris Memorial Scholarship: Available to a sophomore majoring in music or physical education who actively participates in the EWC athletic or music program and who has maintained a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Ray Harris Memorial Scholarship: Available to a Wyoming resident (preferably a graduate of a high school in Goshen County), non-traditional student with financial need and a good GPA.

P.E.O Chapter AK Scholarship: A female resident of Goshen County majoring in an academic or occupational curriculum.

LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (Cheyenne)

NORTHWEST COMMUNITY COLLEGE (Powell)

SHERIDAN COLLEGE (Sheridan)

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING (Laramie)

CONTACT: Student Financial Aid Specialist, Division of Student Financial Aids, P. O. Box 3335, University Station, Laramie, WY 82071

WESTERN WYOMING COLLEGE (Rock Springs)

SECTION VIII

NATION-WIDE FOUNDATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED ON NATION-WIDE FOUNDATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL FINANCIAL AID SUPPORT AND IS DIVIDED INTO TWO PARTS.

THE FIRST PART LISTS FOUNDATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT FOR GRADUATE STUDY. INCLUDED IS A SPECIAL SECTION ON THE MANY MASTER AND DOCTORATE DEGREES ONE CAN RECEIVE AND AN EXPLANATION OF THESE TWO ACADEMIC AWARDS.

THE SECOND PART LISTS OTHER STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES.

NATION-WIDE FOUNDATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT

The following is a selected listing of foundations and organizations providing fellowships or scholarships for advanced education. Most of these fellowship/scholarship programs are national in scope and students from any part of the country are eligible to apply. Many foundations and organizations are established to further a specific purpose or to have a particular emphasis. Therefore, many of the fellowships/scholarships are limited to a specific area of study or particular student population.

Additionally, each foundation and/or organization has specific eligibility criteria and unique application deadlines. It is recommended that application information be obtained directly from the particular foundation.

ADVANCED STUDY FELLOWSHIPS FOR AMERICAN INDIANS - 329 East 43rd Street, New York, NY 10017

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN - AAUW Educational Foundation Program Office, 2401 Viriginа Avenue,N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037: The AAUW Fellowships are awarded to women who have achieved distinction or promise of distinction in their fields. Scholarly excellence is the primary selection criterion. No restrictions are placed on ages, field, or place of study. Fellowships are available to American women in their final year of professional study. Applications are available from the AAUW Educational Foundation Program Office.

AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL PROJECT - AIEPD Fellowship Awards provide tuition, book allowance, and a twelve month stipend of $600.00 per month, and $90.00 per month per dependent. For information or application contact: Dr. Russell Dobson, Oklahoma State University, College of Education, Stillwater, OK 74078-0146.

AMERICAN INDIAN LAW CENTER - Special Scholarship Program in Law for American Indians, American Indian Law Center, P.O. Box 4456, Station A, Albuquerque, N.M. 87196. Scholarships

AMERICAN INDIAN LAW CENTER (Cont.)
are available to Native Americans & Alaska Natives who are ¼ or more degree of Indian blood from a federally recognized tribe. Must have an undergraduate transcript or will complete undergraduate degree requirements during the present year.

AMERICAN NURSES' ASSOCIATION - Registered Nurse Fellowship Program for Ethnic Minorities. Open to all minorities in graduate level nursing. American Nurses' Association, 2420 Pershing Road, Kansas City, MO 64147.

CARNEGIE-MELLON MID-CAREER WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM - Admissions Officer, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, Bruce Hall, Rm. 202, University of Pittsburgh, PA 15213. For women between 30 and 50 who want to pursue graduate studies in urban affairs or public administration.

CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN MANAGEMENT - Director, 101 North Skinker Blvd. Box 1132, St. Louis, MO 63130. A program to educate talented minority men and women with leadership potential who have chosen business as their career. Provides fellowship support to enable talented blacks, Hispanics, and American Indians to enroll in BA programs at its member Universities: Indiana University, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Rochester, University of Southern California, Washington University, and University of Wisconsin.

CONSORTIUM OF METROPOLITAN LAW SCHOOLS - Consortium includes Brooklyn, Fordham, New York, St. Johns, and Seton Hall Law Schools. Scholarships made available to minority students with good records and real financial need. Applications can be made directly to the particular law school.

COUNCIL FOR OPPORTUNITY IN GRADUATE MANAGEMENT EDUCATION(COGME)
COGME Central Plaza, 675 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139. A fellowship program for minorities in graduate management education.

FORD FOUNDATION - 320 East 43rd Street, New York, NY 10017. Eligibility: Must be a citizen of the U.S., must be enrolled or planning to enroll in their field of study. Must be currently engaged in or planning to enter a career in higher education. Awards are for one year only, but are renewable upon re-application. Information and application regarding the academic year program are available from the foundation.

FOUNDATION OF THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF HEALTHCARE EXECUTIVES - The Albert W. Dent Scholarship is offered annually under the Foundation's Scholarship Loan Fund Program. Applications are accepted between April 1 and June 1, and candidates are selected by the Foundation's Scholarship Committee shortly after deadline date. If you are interested in applying an application from Albert W. Dent Scholarship Foundation, 840 N. Lake Shore Dr., Chicago, IL 60611

NATIONAL CENTER FOR ATMOSPHERIC RESEARCH: Administrator, Advanced Study Program, National Center for Atmospheric Research, P.O. Box 2000, Boulder Co 80307. Fellowships are available for graduate student support.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT TRAINING ACT (MDTA) - Covers vocational training programs through out the various State Employment Agencies located within the states. Inquire at your State Employment Office.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH - Acting Director, Review & Advisory Services, National Center for Health Services Research, Rm. 15-35, Parklawn Bldg., 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20852. Grants for Doctoral candidates conducting research on health service problems.

NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE DEGREES FOR IN ENGINEERING, INC. - Central office, Box 537, Notre Dame, IN 46556. To provide opportunities for minority students to obtain a master's degree in engineering. Graduate Fellowships are awarded to each fellow, which pay tuition, fees, and a stipend of $5,000 per graduate academic year.

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES - Division of Fellowships, 806 15th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION- Minority Graduate Fellowships. Apply to the Fellowship Office, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20418. (202) 334-2872

PROFESSIONAL NURSE TRAINEESHIP PROGRAM - Division of Nursing, Health Resources and Services Administration, U.S. Public Health Service, USDHHA, Rm. 5C-26, Parklawn Bldg., 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20856. Traineeships are awarded to currently licensed professional nurses through grants to public or nonprofit proviate institutions providing master's and post-master's nursing programs to prepare nurses as teachers, supervisors, administrators, etc.

ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON FOUNDATION - Forrestal Center, P.O. Box 2316, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. Minority Medical Faculty Development Program. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Minority Medical Faculty Development Program offers four-year, postdoctoral research fellowships to minority physicians.

ROCKEFELLER-FORD PROGRAM FOR POPULATION POLICY RESEARCH - 1133 Avenue, New York, NY 10036. The Foundations' work has been directed toward identifying and attacking at their source the underlying causes of human suffering and need. The Foundation supports two categories of fellowship awards: 1. Regular Fellowship Awards, 2. Special Fellowship Awards. Fellowship Program for Minority-Group Scholars - to support research designed to influence the understanding and resolution of minority-group issues.

THE MASTER'S AND DOCTORAL DEGREE

Many students have heard the term "graduate and professional schools." Many also may not be aware that while the terms are similar, they are not exactly the same. Graduate schools offer academic degrees, usually a master or doctorate, in academic disciplines. Professional schools are designed to prepare one to enter a specific profession such as the law, medicine, dentistry or the ministry.

There are three graduate degrees. The Master of Arts (M.A.) and Master of Science (M.S.), commonly called the master's degree, and the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), commonly called the doctorate, are the three that students most often attend graduate school to obtain. In certain disciplines, students are awarded masters or doctorates with names such as Master of Music (M.M.), Master of Science in forestry (M.S.F.), Master of Public Health (M.P.H.), Doctor of Fine Arts (D.F.A.), Doctor of Psychology (Psy.D.). Degrees such as these are generally regarded as the equivalent of the M.A., M.S., or Ph.D. Professional schools also award their own special degrees such as Bachelor of Divinity (B.D.), Doctor of Dental Science or Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.).

The Ph.D. or its equivalent has become symbolic as a standard representing academic excellence. In fact, the Ph.D., or its equivalent has been a virtual requirement for people who have aspired to careers in college or university teaching. A large proportion of the people who study for the Ph.D. and other doctorates plan to do research or teaching at a college or university. College teaching is frequently a career objective for the person who enjoys working with ideas and with young scholars and colleagues in exploring and evaluating concepts, hypotheses, and theories.

Here is a listing of more than one hundred master's and doctorate degrees you can study and obtain scholarships for.

A.M.	Master of Arts
A.M.L.S.	Master of Arts in Library Science
B.D.	Bachelor of Divinity
C.A.S.	Certificate of Advanced Studies
C.Phil.	Candidate in Philosophy
D.A.	Doctor of Arts
D.Arch.	Doctor of Architecture
D.B.A.	Doctor of Business Administration
D.C.L.	Doctor of Civil Law
D.C.S.	Doctor of Commercial Science
D.Comp.L.	Doctor of Comparative Law
D.D.S.	Doctor of Dental Science or Doctor of Dental Surgery
D.F.	Doctor of Forestry
D.F.A.	Doctor of Fine Arts
D.H.L.	Doctor of Hebrew Literature or Doctor of Hebrew Letters
D.L.S.	Doctor of Library Science
D.M.	Doctor of Music
D.M.A.	Doctor of Musical Arts
D.M.D.	Doctor of Dental Medicine
D.M.Ed.	Doctor of Music Education
D.M.L.	Doctor of Modern Languages
D.M.S.	Doctor of Medieval Studies
D.M.Sc.	Doctor of Medical Sciences
D.Mn.	Doctor of Ministry
D.N.S. or D.N.Sc.	Doctor of Nursing Science
D.P.A.	Doctor of Public Administration
D.P.E.	Doctor of Physical Education
D.P.H. or Dr.P.H.	Doctor of Public Health
D.R.E.	Doctor of Religious Education
D.Rel.	Doctor of Religion
D.S.M.	Doctor of Sacred Music
D.S.S. or D.S.Sc.	Doctor of Social Science
D.S.W.	Doctor of Social Work or Doctor of Social Welfare
D.Sc.L.	Doctor of the Science of Law
D.Th.P.	Doctor of Pastoral Theology
D.V.M.	Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
Ed.D.	Doctor of Education
Ed.S. or Ed.Sp.	Specialist in Education or Education Specialist
H.S.D.	Doctor of Health and Safety
J.C.D.	Doctor of Canon Law
J.D.	Doctor of Jurisprudence
J.S.D.	Doctor of the Science of Law
LL.B.	Bachelor of Laws
M.A.	Master of Arts
M.A.A.	Master of Aeronautics and Astronautics
M.A.C.T.	Master of Arts in College Teaching
M.A.Com.	Master of Arts in Communications
M.A.D.	Master of Arts in Dance
M.A.E.	Master of Aerospace Engineering
M.A.S.	Master of Applied Sciences or Master of Accounting Science
M.A.T.	Master of Arts in Teaching or Master of Arts for Teachers
M.Ag. or M.Agr.	Master of Agriculture
M.Ap.L.	Master of Applied Linguistics
M.Arch.	Master of Architecture
M.B.	Bachelor of Medicine
M.B.A.	Master of Business Administration
M.B.E.	Master of Business Education
M.C.E.	Master of Civil Engineering
M.C.P.	Master of City Planning
M.C.S.	Master of Computer Science
M.D.	Doctor of Medicine
M.Div.	Master of Divinity
M.E.	Master of Engineering
M.E.E.	Master of Electrical Engineering
M.E.P.	Master of Engineering Physics
M.F.	Master of Forestry
M.F.A.	Master of Fine Arts
M.F.S.	Master of Foreign Service or Master of Food Science or Master of Forest Science
M.H.A.	Master of Hospital Administration
M.H.L.	Master of Hebrew Literature
M.I.L.R.	Master of Industrial and Labor Relations
M.I.S.	Master of International Service or Master of International Studies
M.L.A.	Master of Landscape Architecture
M.L.S.	Master of Library Science or Master of Library Services
M.M.	Master of Music
M.M.E.	Master of Mechanical Engineering or Master of Music Education
M.M.Ed.	Master of Music Education
M.M.S.	Master of Management Science
M.M.Sc.	Master of Materials Science
M.N.E.	Master of Nuclear Engineering
M.N.S.	Master of Natural Science
M.P.A.	Master of Public Administration or Master of Public Affairs or Master of Professional Accountancy
M.P.H.	Master of Public Health
M.P.I.A.	Master of Public and International Affairs
M.Phil.	Master of Philosophy
M.R.P.	Master of Regional Planning
M.S.	Master of Science
M.S.A.	Master of Science in Agriculture .
M.S.A.A.	Master of Science in Aeronautics and Astronautics
M.S.A.E.	Master of Science in Aerospace Engineering
M.S.B.E.	Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering
M.S.C.E.	Master of Science in Civil Engineering or Master of Science and Chemical Engineering
M.S.E.	Master of Science in Engineering or Master of Science in Education
M.S.E.E.	Master of Science in Electrical Engineering
M.S.E.M.	Master of Science in Engineering Mechanics
M.S.F.	Master of Science in Forestry
M.S.I.A.	Master of Science in Industrial Administration
M.S.I.E.	Master of Science in Industrial Engineering
M.S. in E.A.	Master of Science in Engineering Administration
M.S. in E.M.	Master of Science in Engineering Mechanics
M.S. in S.E.	Master of Science in Systems Engineering
M.S.M.E.	Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering
M.S.P.H.	Master of Science in Public Health
M.S.S.	Master of Social Service or Master of Social Science or Master of Social Studies
M.S.T.	Master of Science in Teaching or Master of Science for Teachers
M.S.W.	Master of Social Work or Master of Social Welfare
M.T.S.	Master of Teaching Science
M.U.R.P.	Master of Urban and Regional Planning
P.E.D.	Doctor of Physical Education
Ph.D.	Doctor of Philosophy
Psy.D.	Doctor of Psychology
Re.D.	Doctor of Recreation
S.D.	Doctor of Science
S.J.D.	Doctor of the Science of Law
S.M.	Master of Science
S.M.D.	Doctor of Sacred Music
S.T.B.	Bachelor of Sacred Theology
S.T.D.	Doctor of Sacred Theology or Doctor of the Science of Theology
Sp.Ed.	Specialist in Education
Th.D.	Doctor of Theology
Th.M.	Master of Theology

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OTHER STUDENT SUPPORT SOURCES

Eligibility requirements are stated here. To send for an application: (1) you must have graduated from high school or be enrolled in the final year of high school study; (2) you must meet the admission requirements of an accredited community college, college or university; & (3) you must be able to demonstrate financial need as determined by standards to be established by Student Financial Aid, Department of Education.

ALASKA: Quite a few state scholarships are provided each year at the University of Alaska for Alaskan Aleute, Eskimo and Indian students. For futher information, contact: Dean of Students, University of Alaska, Anchorage, Alaska 99706

ARIZONA: Scholarships covering tuition and fees are available to qualified Arizona Indians, contact: Board of Regents, Phoenix, Arizona, or Contact: State College of your choice.

CALIFORNIA:Maple Creek Willie Indian Scholarship Fund, State Education Building, 721 Capital Mall, DTP - Rm. 205, Sacramento, CA 95814. The funds will be available to eligible applicants in the form of a limited number of scholarship grants for the purpose of providing education opportunities for high school graduate California Indians. Scholarships shall be granted to eligible applicants on a yearly basis as long as there are funds available, not to exceed a total of four years for each recipient, for training at California. (1) Community Colleges, or (2) Colleges, or (3) Universities, or (4) Vacational schools, public or private approved by the Scholarship Selection Board as Suitable.

FLORIDA: Seminole and Miccosukee Indian Scholarship - Office of Student Financial Assistance Department of Edudation, Knott Bldg., Tallahassee, FL 32301. The Seminole/Missosukee Indian Scholarship Program was created to award scholarships to Florida Seminole and Miccosukee Indians. Funds for the support of the Seminole/Miccosukee Indian Scholarship Program are contingent upon the appropriation made available by the Florida Legislature. To receive a Seminole/Miccosukee Indian Scholarships, a student should submit each year a completed application form SM-1 to their respective tribal offices at one of the addresses listed below:

Miccosukee Tribe of Indians of Florida
c/o Higher Education Committee
P.O. Box 440021, Tamiami State
Miami, FL 33144

or

Seminole Tribe of Florida
c/o Higher Education Committee
5073 Sterling Road
Hollywood, FL 33024

GEORGIA: Georgia Student Finance Authority, 2082 East Exchange Place, Suite 200, Tucket, GA 30084. Provide Grants, scholarship loans, and State direct loans. Scholarships available to residents of Georgia. Individual programs have specific requirements.

ILLINOIS: The American College of Hospital Administrators - 840 North Lake Shore Dr., Chicago, IL 60611. Offers a limited number of scholarship Loans to assist "worthy" students in continuing their professional education and training towards careers in hospital administration.

ILLINOIS: Institute of Food Technologists _ 221 North Lasalle Street, Suite 2120, Chicago, IL 60601. Offers fellowships and scholarships to students pursuing a program leading to a degree in the general field of Food Technology or Food Science.

ILLINOIS: American Society of Clinical Pathologists - Board of Registry of Medical Technologists, P.O. Box 12270, Chicago, IL 60612. These AMA Approved schools waive tuition and pay stipends to students.

ILLINOS: National Medical Fellowships - 3935 Elm Street, Downers Grove, IL 60515. Provides financial assistance to

ILLINOIS: (Cont.)

Black students and Mainland Puerto Ricans, Mexican Americans and American Indians who are citizens of the U.S. for first or second year study in U.S. medical school.

MINNESOTA: State Indian Scholarship Program - Eligibility: (1) Must be one-fourth degree or more Indian ancestry; (2) Must be a resident of Minnesota and a member of a recognized Indian Tribe; (3) Must be a high school graduate or have an approved equivalent certificate; (4) Have ability to benefit from advanced education; (5) Must be accepted by an approved college, university or vocational school in Minnesota; and(6) Must be accepted and recommended by the Minnesota Indian Scholarship Committee. Applications may be obtained from: Indian Education Guidance Consultant, Minnesota Building, 410 Minnesota Avenue, Bemidji, Minnesota 56601.

Other Programs and Assistance Available:

The Minnesota Indian Scholarship Committee meets monthly but has no private funds. Indian students with less than one-quarter degree Indian ancestery and special cases may be considered by this committee who makes recommendations for special scholarships.

ILLINOIS: State Nursing Grants in Aid - These are available from the State Board of Nursing, 717 Delaware, Minneapolis, MN 55414, after acceptance in an accredited practical or professional nursing school in Minnesota. Maximum grants $300 for practical nursing and up to $2000 for the registered nurse program. Apply through your school counselor, principal or directly to the nursing school you will attend.

MISSOURI: Financial Assistance for Missouri Students--Missouri Student Grant Program; Missouri Guranteed Student Loan Program; Missouri Plus Loan Program. Missouri Grant to: U.S. Citizens, Missouri residents, full-time undergraduates, attending 77 specific schools in Missouri. Must demonstrate financial need Contac: Coordinating Board for Higher Education, P.O. Box 1438, Jefferson, MO 65102

MONTANA: Fee Waiver - American Indians - Each unit of the Montana University System is athorized to grant Waivers of registration and incidental fees to any persons of one-quarter Indian blood or more, who have been bona fide residents of the State of Montana for at least one year prior to enrollment in the Montana University System, who have completed a four year course of an cccredited high school or federal Indian school and who demonstrate financial need. Each unit shall make rules governing the selection of these Indian students.

NEBRASKA: In-state Tuition costs available for students attending any Nebraska State College. Certification of one-quarter or more degree Indian blood quantum must be provided at the time of application to the institution of your choice.

NEVADA: MAX C. Fleischmann Foundation - Chairman, Scholarship Committee, Nevada State Department of Education. 400 West King Street, Capitol Complex, Carson City, NV 89701

Fleischmann College Program - Scholarships are available to seniors graduating from Nevada high schools and are to be untilized for the freshman year of college study.

Fleischmann Nevada Community College Program - Scholarships are available to residents of the State of Nevada who are enrolled as full-time students in an occupational service area in a Nevada community college.

Fleischmann Dental Program - Scholarships are available to students who are residents of the State of Nevada and who have completed their predental training and are entering their freshman year of dental school.

Fleischmann Medical Program - Scholarships are available to residents of the State of Nevada who have completed their pre-medical training and are entering their freshman year of medical school.

Fleischmann Indian Program - Scholarships are available to Indian students graduating from Nevada high schools and are to be utilized for the freshman year of college study.

Scholarships are for $1000 and are for one year only, non-renewable. Eligibility: (1) Must be an American Indian and a resident of the State of Nevada or be a member of a Nevada Indian Tribe and, (a) be attending a Nevada high school with graduating senior status; or(b) have been graduated from a Navada high school at mid-year during the current school year. (2) Must submit application, (a) letter of recommendation from school personnel or an individual who has know the applicant for at least teo years; (b) transcripts of grades for the junior and senior years as well as the scores received on the Scholastic Aptitude Test and/or the American College Test. (3) Must have documentation of at least on-quarter degree Indian blood quantum.

NEW YORK: Student aid for Native Americans at postsecondary Institutions in the State of New York: In order to be eligible to receive Native American Student Aid, a student must meet the following criteria: (1) The student must be a resident of New York State and be on an official tribal roll of a New York State tribe or be the child of an enrolled number of a New Your State Tribe. The student must have graduated from an accredited high school, attained a high school equivalency diploma or be enrolled in a special 24-credit-hour program an approved institution. Eligible students must apply to the State Education Department to receive Native American Student Aid: Contact: Native American Education Unit, State Education Department, 9C73 Cultural Education Center, Albany, NY 12230 (518) 474-7611

NORTH DAKOTA: State Board for Indian Scholarships - North Dakota Indian Scholarship Program, North Dakota Indian Affairs Commission, State Capital, Bismarck, ND 58505. Eligibility of candidates: To be eligible for consideration, a candidate must: (1) Be of at least one fourth (¼) degree Indian blood and a resident of North Dakota or be an enrolled member of a tribe now resident in North Dakota. (2) Be accepted by an institution of higher learning in North

(3) Be in good health and of good character. (4) Be in financial need (5) Indicate probable and continuing success as a student. Can be used to pursue any full-time course offered in a regular academic year by any institution of higher learning or state vocational education program in North Dakota. State vocational education program shall mean any vocational program funded by the State Board of Higher Education, the State Board of Vocational Education or from the funds provided by the State General Fund to the Junior colleges.

RHODE ISLAND: Rhode Island Higher Education Assistance Authority: Rhode Island Higher Education Assistance Authority, 274 Weybosset Street, Providence, RI 02903. (401) 277-2050. Scholarship and Grant Program for legal residents of Rhode Island and the guaranteeing agency for Federal Student and Parents Loans. Scholarship and Grants are ONLY for undergraduates.

GRANT PROGRAM: Must be United States Citizen/eligible non-citizen and Rhode Island Resident; must demonstrate financial need.

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM: Same as grant program except must also show academic potential as measured by Scholastic Aptitute Test Scores in addition to demonstration of financial need.

TEXAS: Hinson-Hazlewood Student Loan (HHSL): This is a long-term, low-interest loan which must be repaid to the State of Texas beginning six months after the student ceases to be enrolled for at least six semester credit hours. Students should contact the Financial Assistance Office regarding specific information on this loan program and for the necessary application.

SECTION IX

ALTERNATIVES TO SCHOLARSHIPS

LOANS AND WORK-STUDY PROGRAMS ARE ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF FINANCIAL AID FOR THE STUDENT. ELIGIBILITY FOR PART-TIME WORK OR FOR A LOAN WITH MINIMUM INTEREST IS USUALLY DETERMINED BY THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICER AT THE UNIVERSITY. SOME OF THE GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE DIFFERENT PROGRAMS IS INCLUDED ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

ALTERNATIVES TO SCHOLARSHIPS

GRANTS

Basic Education Opportunity Grant (BEOG) - A direct grant from the government based on need, the Basic Grant is an entitlement. You are eligible if you have been accepted as a least half-time student at an eligible institution. A student can receive up to $1,000 per year. Special BEOG applications can be obtained at high schools, community agencies, libraries, and colleges.

Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG) - A non-repayable grant by the school to assist undergraduate students who have an exceptionally high financial need and are carrying at least one-half of a normal academic load. A student can receive no less than $200 and no more than $1,500 per year. Apply at the Office of Financial Aid.

College Work/Study - A federal program which provides part-time jobs for students with a demonstrated financial need. Jobs are available on campus or off-campus with a public or private non-profit agency. A student can earn between $600 and $1,000 per year; the amount a student earns is dependent upon wage scale and the number of hours he is able to work. Apply at the financial aid office.

LOANS

Health Professions Student Loan Program - Grants Management Staff, Division of Physician & Health Professions Education, Bureau of Health Manpower Education, National Institutes of Health, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20014

National Direct Student Loan (NDSL) - A Federal program to provide needy students with a long-term low interest loan for educational purposes. To qualify for the NDSL a student must carry at least one-half of the normal course load as defined by the school. The School determines who is eligible and the amount of the loan. During the first two-years of undergraduate study a student may borrow up to $2,500 in NDSL with not more than $5,000 accumulated during the years of undergraduate work. Repayment begins nine months after the student ceases at least half-time study. Apply at the financial aid office.

Nursing Student Loan Program - Division of Nursing, Bureau of Health Manpower Education, National Institutes of Health, 9000 Rockville, Bethesda, Maryland 20014. Students may borrow $2,500 for an academic year, or the amount of your financial need, whichever is the lesser. The total amount of a student's loans for all years may not exceed $10,000.

Guaranteed Student Loan Program - Bureau of Student Financial Assistance, U.S. Office of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202. Enables students who are enrolled or accepted for enrollment at least half-time in an eligible school to borrow directly from banks, credit unions, savings and loan institutions, or other lenders who are willing to make educational loans. Students may borrow up to $7500 for undergraduate study or $10,000 for graduate and undergraduate study combined.

Pickett and Hatcher Educational Fund - P.O. Box 2128, Columbus, GA 31902. Offers loans to financially needy students enrolled in colleges and universities offering broad liberal education. The loans may include amounts for fees, tuition, room and board, up to $1,200 per year, with the total borrowed not to exceed $4,800.

United Student Aid Funds, Inc. - 8085 Knue RD., Indianapolis, IN 45250. These programs enable lenders to provide guarenteed loans to students of up to $2,50 yearly, up to a maximum of $10,000 for graduate students, and $7,500 for undergraduates.

APPENDIX

WE HAVE INCLUDED SOME HELPFUL FORMS AND SAMPLES FOR YOU TO USE IN YOUR FINANCIAL AID SEARCH. INCLUDES IS A SAMPLE LETTER THAT YOU MIGHT FOLLOW IN WRITING FOR SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION. ALSO INCLUDED IS AN OUTLINE WHICH A HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT OR COLLEGE STUDENT MIGHT USE IN PRESENTING HER/HIS BACKGROUND FOR SCHOLARSHIP CONSIDERATION. THERE IS ALSO A CHECK LIST TO USE TO HELP WHEN YOU ARE GOING ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS OF SEARCHING FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE. A SAMPLE OF HOW TO DETERMINE FINANCIAL COSTS IS ALSO PROVIDED.

BEST WISHES AND PERSERVANCE IN YOUR EFFORTS TO OBTAIN FINANCIAL ID FOR YOUR EDUCATION. IF OUR STAFF CAN BE OF ASSISTANCE PLEASE CONTACT US.

THE STAFF
AMERICAN INDIAN GRADUATE PROGRAM
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA,BERKELEY

SAMPLE LETTER

P.O. Box 276
New Town, North Dakota 58627
December 11, 1986

Scholarship Committee
XYZ Foundation
11015 West 29th Street
New York, New York 11010

Dear Committee Members:

I am a member of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Agency, and I am interested in working in the health field. Since I was born and raised on the reservation, I know many of the problems facing the Indian communities - one of which is lack of qualified Indian involvement in health.

I am planning to enter the University of California, Berkeley this Fall 1987. Unfortunately, my funds are very limited, and I am finding it difficult to meet my educational and living expenses.

For these reasons, I am requesting some form of financial assistance from your scholarship fund. Please send any information, including an application form, to me at the above address.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration. I sincerely hope that my application will be looked upon with favor.

Sincerely,

Joe Skin

P.S. The attached sheet tells you a little about my background.

SAMPLE RESUME

Joe Skin
P.O. Box 276
New Town, North Dakota 58627

Date of Birth: November 24, 1956

Place: Garrison, North Dakota

Tribal Affiliation: Three Affiliated Tribes

Education: Parshall Elementary School
Parshall, North Dakota

New Town High School Date of Graduate: June 10, 1975
New Town, North Dakota

Special Courses: (Other than the usual required subjects)
Introduction into Medicine
Medicine as a Career
Beginning and Advanced First Aid

Work Experience: May 29, 1971 - to August 1981 - Worked as a helper to Dr. James Walsh at the North Side Animal Hospital; Minot, North Dakota. This is only a summer position.

Presently, I am working part-time and on weekends at the PHS Hospital as a special laboratory assistant under Dr. Charles A. Dana.

Special Interests: It seems that I have always had a special interest and facination for the medical field. I always find myself, sometimes without realizing it, thinking about Doctors, Surgeons, Neurosurgeons, Orthopedic Specialists and what it would be like to be one.

Then, by chance, I found a summer job working with a Veterinarian, and by the time I had finished the first day of work, I know that I would be a physician. Many people might regard this as a passing thing for someone my age to be so sure of what they want to do for the rest of their life. But, when you know in your heart what you have to do,it doesn't matter.

I know it won't be easy, my parents won't be able to help because they don't have much. But I feel if a person wants something bad enough , and works hard, things will work out.

HOW TO DETERMINE COLLEGE COSTS

There are a few very simple steps that you can use to determine approximately how much it will cost you to go to school.

The first thing to do is to make a list of each college you plan to apply to, obtain their catalogue and see how much the tuition, the cost of dormitory living, etc., will be. Mark these down on a sheet of paper as follows:

	College X	College Y	College Z
1. List of institutions you are considering	________	________	________
2. Tuition & Fees	________	________	________
3. Student's Board & Meals	________	________	________
4. Books & Supplies	________	________	________
5. Personal Items (clothing, laundry, recreation)	________	________	________
6. Medical Expenses	________	________	________
7. Transportation (to and from school, vacations)	________	________	________
8. Students with dependents are given an additional budget allowance	________	________	________
9. Total Budget	________	________	________

Now you have an extimate of how much it will cost to go to school. For a more complete guide to how to determine costs, send away for a free copy of "Meeting College Costs" (published annually); Publications Order Office, College Entrance Examination Board, Box 592, Princeton, NJ 08540

APPLICATION CHECK LIST

Below is a check list that you can follow when applying to schools, or for scholarships:

TO BE DONE		
College information on colleges, and college costs, by writing to the institutions, checking with your counselor, or looking in The College Handbook	At least one year BEFORE planned enrollment.	__________
Write to schools for admission information and application forms.	October-November	__________
Write for financial aid applications from schools.	October-November	__________
Get Parent Confidential Statement filled out and sent (applies to those under 25 years of age).	October-November	__________
Complete and mail applications.	BEFORE School Deadline	__________
Complete and mail school's financial aid applications.	BEFORE deadline	__________
Keep in touch with colleges, make sure all transcripts, letters of recommendation, etc., are sent and received by the school.	Within a month after such material is requested.	__________

GENERAL WORDS OF ADVICE

- The process of applying for financial aid can be confusing and time-consuming. Just keep in mind that in order to get money for your college education, YOU MUST APPLY FOR IT. To apply early or on time increases your chances of getting a fair financial aid package.

- With the increasing number of Indian students entering college, the demand for Bureau grants also increases. Apply early for BIA or tribal funds - early means in February or March of the year you are planning to attend college.

- When applying for sources of outside aid, (other than your BIA agency or tribe), be sure to include at the start of your letter that you are American Indian or Alaska Native.

- Show sincerity of purpose in seeking a higher education; take time when writing and think through what you want to achieve by going to school, and then put it on paper.

- Remember, the application you submit will be all that the reviewers will have to tell them about you, your financial need, and goals and aspirations. Lack of complete and relevant information may cause delay and misunderstanding in the review of your application.

- Discuss your goals with a career counselor or an older person who might have the same career goals as yourself, and is already working in the field of your choice. They will be great help in determining what kinds of obstacles to overcome more easily.

- Don't get discouraged about your sources of aid to stay in school. Keep up with progress of your financial situation through your counselor and financial aid officer. If you are serious enough about getting the degree desired, funds from somewhere will be available to help.